

ATHLETES VISIT AT OYSTER BAY

President and Mrs. Roosevelt
Entertain the Returning
American Heroes.

TEDDY WAS JUBILANT.

SAID IT WAS SIMPLY GREAT AND
SHOOK THE HAND OF EACH
MAN AS HE PASSED ALONG THE
LINE.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 1.—Sixty
members of the American Olympic
team visited President Roosevelt at
his residence on Sagamore Hill yes-
terday.

The president and Mrs. Roosevelt
stood at the front door of the house,
and, as each athlete filed past, both
the president and his wife shook
hands with him heartily. The president
paid a compliment to each man
as he was introduced by James E. Sul-
livan. On the veranda sat Mr. and
Mrs. Nicholas Longworth and all the
president's children.

The first athlete to be presented
was John J. Hayes, the Marathon win-
ner.

"Here's the top-notch," said the
president, as he grasped Hayes' hand
in a vigorous grip, which made the
runner wince.

"This is fine," continued the
president, working his visitor's hand
up and down like a pump-handle, "and
I am so glad that a New York boy
won it. By George! I am so glad to
see all you boys."

M. W. Sheppard presented to the
president the medal he won in the
1,500-meter race.

"Thanks, thanks; I value this," said
the president. "Let's see, aren't you
a member of the New York Police?"

"No," said Sheppard, sadly; "they
turned me down."

"Well, by gracious, I wish I were
still commissioner," said the presi-
dent.

"This is simply great," said
the president, as the Virginia sprinter,
said: "This is simply phenomenal,
simply great!"

When John J. Flanagan hove in
sight, his mighty shoulders blocking
the doorway, the president reached
out and grabbed both of Flanagan's
hands. "This is the big man," said
the president. "I am mighty glad to
see you."

When Taylor, the negro runner,
came along, he got just as hearty a
greeting.

When Sullivan introduced H. J. Mc-
Grath as "the heavy-weight man," the
president replied: "By George! he
looks it. I am glad to see you."

Amusements

The return of Carl W. Cook and his
clever company to the Gennett, for a
week's engagement proved to be to
the liking of theater goers—the change
from vaudeville to stock seems to be
what was wanted and a large audience
greeted the company in its return last
night. The entire cast upheld the
very good impression made here a year
ago. "Lost Paradise," a very strong-
ly written problem play, was handled
admirably, and every member was given
an opportunity to display real tal-
ent. Carl W. and Blanche Senigart
Cook, were seen in the leading parts
and readily endeared themselves into
the hearts of their audience. The
specialties offered between the acts
were entirely satisfactory and above
the average. Tonight the company
presents a four act comedy drama, "A
Multi-Millionaire," with an entire
change of vaudeville.

SAYS DOESN'T KNOW

Wu Ting Fang in Ignorance
About Notice of His
Recall.

TOO MUCH IN PUBLIC.

Washington, Sept. 1.—Wu Ting
Fang, Chinese minister to the United
States, who, according to dispatches
from Peking, may be recalled because
of recent disclosures, when shown the
cablegram, declared his government
had not in any way intimated to him
that it was dissatisfied with his work
and had not called him to account for
anything he may have said.

It was reported that Wu's recall was
being considered, and that the govern-
ment for some time past had been
embarrassed by the minister's plat-
form and other utterances and by his
attitude as a public character in Amer-
ica. Liang Tun Yen, assistant sec-
retary of the board of foreign affairs,
is said to be the logical successor to
the post at Washington in case Min-
ister Wu is recalled.

INJURED MEN IMPROVE.

Arthur Connaught who had his
foot mangled caused by the collapsing
of the scaffolding at the big gas hold-
er of the Light, Heat and Power com-
pany is improving as well as can be
hoped for. The accident happened last
Saturday. The other injured men are
improving, also.

Order Gold Medal Flour next time.
RELAXER.

WHO WILL WIN?

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	69	45	.605
Chicago	71	47	.602
Pittsburg	70	47	.598
Philadelphia	60	52	.536
Cincinnati	58	60	.492
Boston	50	67	.427
Brooklyn	43	71	.377
St. Louis	42	74	.362

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	68	48	.586
St. Louis	67	50	.573
Chicago	66	52	.559
Cleveland	66	53	.555
Philadelphia	58	57	.504
Boston	56	62	.475
Washington	48	66	.421
New York	38	79	.325

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Louisville	82	57	.590
Indianapolis	80	57	.584
Toledo	76	60	.561
Columbus	78	61	.562
Minneapolis	69	67	.507
Kansas City	63	74	.460
Milwaukee	60	78	.432
St. Paul	41	95	.301

CENTRAL LEAGUE.			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Evansville	78	52	.600
Dayton	74	57	.565
South Bend	72	59	.550
Fl. Wayne	68	62	.523
Grand Rapids	65	64	.504
Zanesville	65	65	.500
Terre Haute	60	68	.466
Wheeling	37	92	.287

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

National League.
Pittsburg 5; Cincinnati 0.
Chicago 2; St. Louis 0.

American League.
Boston 7; Washington 3.
Cleveland 7; Philadelphia 3.
St. Louis 4; Chicago 0.
Philadelphia 1; New York 0. First
game.

Philadelphia 2; New York 1. Sec-
ond game.

American Association.
St. Paul 11; Kansas City 9.
Minneapolis 4; Milwaukee 2.
Indianapolis 4; Toledo 0.
Columbus 4; Louisville 0. First
game.

Louisville 5; Columbus 1. Second
game.

Central League.
Terre Haute 5; Zanesville 3.
Dayton 3; Grand Rapids 1.
Fl. Wayne 5; South Bend 1.
Evansville 9; Wheeling 0. Forfeited.

GAMES TODAY.

National League.
Pittsburg at Cincinnati.
St. Louis at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.
New York at Boston.

American League.
Cleveland at Detroit.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Boston at Washington.
Philadelphia at New York.
American Association.
Columbus at Louisville.
Indianapolis at Toledo.
Minneapolis at Milwaukee.
St. Paul at Kansas City.
Central League.
Grand Rapids at Ft. Wayne.

STREETS PACKED TO SEE SAILORS

Railroads Unable to Accommo-
date Immense Throngs
Of Passengers.

MELBOURNE CONGESTED.

PERSONS COULD NOT MOVE
THROUGH STREETS—ELECTRIC
DISPLAY BEAUTIFUL—ADMIR-
ALS JOINED IN BANQUET.

Melbourne, Sept. 1.—The streets of
Melbourne late last night were filled
with a surging, good-humored multi-
tude, all out to do homage to the vis-
iting Americans, who arrived here Sat-
urday aboard the sixteen great battle
ships. The crush in the principal
thoroughfares was so great that many
women fainted, and several persons
were injured. The entire day was set
apart to jollification and the day will
ever live in the memory of the inhabi-
tants of Victoria.

The federal government tendered a
banquet to the admirals and senior of-
ficers of the visiting warships at the
Parliament House, at which Lord
Northcote, governor general of the
commonwealth and Prime Minister
Deakin made brilliant speeches, in
which prominence was given to the
friendly feeling between the common-
wealth and the United States. Rear
Admiral Sperry, commander in chief
of the American fleet, replying in be-
half of the American navy, declared a
rupture between the English speaking
nations would not only be a loss, but a
crime. He later was presented with
an address by the commonwealth Par-
liament.

The city is a spectacle of magnifi-
cence. All the public buildings are
ablaze with electric lights, notable in
this respect being the Commonwealth
State Building and Princess bridge of
the Central Railway, where a striking
illuminated picture of the battleships
was displayed. Earlier in the evening
a picturesque torchlight procession
was held, in which the metropolitan
and country fire brigades, numbering
about two thousand men, took part.

Rain commenced to fall at a late
hour, causing a precipitate retreat
homeward. The dense crowds con-
verging toward the railway station,
forced the women and children into
perilous positions, and many were ex-
tricated with difficulty after suffering
bruises. Two persons were seriously
and several others slightly injured.

All records for passenger traffic on
the railways have been shattered since
the arrival of the fleet.

FEW FIRE ALARMS.

The fire department during the
month of August was only called upon
to respond to twelve alarms. None of
the fires last month were of a serious
nature.

Wheeling at Terre Haute.
Zanesville at Evansville.
South Bend at Dayton.

NEGRO IN TROUBLE FROM SPRINGFIELD

Barely Escaped Lynching by
Chicago Mob.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—A lynching was
narrowly averted in the heart of Chi-
cago, at Van Buren and Wabash ave-
nue, when a mob of two hundred at-
tempted to take from the police a ne-
gro who had attacked a white girl. The
negro was from Springfield. The tim-
ely arrival of more police saved him.

THE VOODOO IN HAITI.

Human Sacrifices to the God of the
Serpent.

There is ample proof that human be-
ings have been offered as sacrifices to
the god of the serpent in Haiti. A
French archbishop of the island de-
scribes a visit made by one of the
priests to a voodoo assembly. The
man had disguised himself as a negro,
and he was thus able to mingle un-
detected with the crowd in the obscurity
outside the sacred circle. After the
white cock and white goat had been
slain and offered up and their blood
had been sprinkled on the company a
burly young negro came forward and
prostrated himself before the priestess.
Then, still kneeling, he made his
prayer:

"O mamam, I have a favor to ask of
thee."

"What is it, my son?" said the
negress encouragingly.

"Will thou not give us, to complete
the sacrifice, the goat without horns?"

The priestess gave a sign of assent.
The crowd roundabout separated, and
there was revealed a child sitting with
its feet bound. The French priest
rushed away in search of assistance in
preventing the unholy rite, but the
authorities on whom he called were
strangely stolid. When finally, on
the day following, they arrived at the
place of assembly, they found the
grievous remains of a sacrifice and a
feast, among them the boiled skull of
the child.—Marvin Dana in Metropoli-
tan Magazine.

When Men Hurry.

"Singular," said a man waiting for a
train on an elevated railroad platform
and looking down a street to where a
hundred men and boys had gathered
around two wagons that had come to-
gether in collision, "there are a hun-
dred men standing around those two
wagons, just standing there, gawping,
apparently with nothing else to do
and not in a bit of a hurry, but let any
one of those men come up the stairs
to this platform when there is a train
coming in and he'd rush and hurry and
tear himself apart to catch that train
and get gum if he missed it, though
he knew very well that there'd be an-
other train here in a minute. Let him
miss a train by a second and he
thinks the world is coming to an end;
let him see somebody hoisting a safe
up the outside of a building and he
will stop and waste half an hour."

"How do you account for that?"—
New York Sun.

POLICEMEN BUSY DURING AUGUST

Drunk Led in Number of Caus-
es for Arrest.

The police made a total of sixty-
five arrests during the month of Aug-
ust. The most serious charge placed
against any of the prisoners was as-
sault and battery with intent to kill.
The following is a classification of the
arrests: Drunk 29; suspicion 12; petit
larceny 3; assault and battery 12;
grand larceny 2; assault with intent
to kill 1; cruelty to animals 1; adul-
tery 1; giving liquor to minors 2.

SEA BATHING.

The Effects of Salt Air and Water on
the Human Body.

There is a reason why parents have
in all times and in all ages endeavored
to give their children the benefit of sea
air and sea bathing. An Italian physi-
cian, Gerosa, tells about it:

It is agreed, he says, that all living
organisms began their first existence in
salt water and that as a result the hu-
man body (and indeed every animal
body) is largely made up of salt. If
you taste your blood or your tears,
which are the extract of blood, you
will find that both are quite salt in
flavor. More than this, however, every
living being possesses within his body,
in the cellular stage, all those strange
marine organisms which we study so
curiously in museums. And, seeing
says Gerosa, that the amount of sea
water contained in every body is equal
to one-third of that body's weight, it is
clear that in the infinitesimally rudimen-
tary form all known marine life
must be present in the blood. The re-
sult is that when we bathe in the sea
or breathe the sea air we replace the
amount of essential salt which is con-
stantly decreasing in the system and,
all unconsciously to ourselves, weak-
ening it. Salt water, says Gerosa, is
really the main principle of life, since
it is the first condition of existence
which the living organisms knew. It
is therefore always good for the body,
whether it be enjoyed at the seaside or
brought in bottles from the sea. In
particular is it very valuable in the
case of weakling children, and there is
no bodily stimulant so invigorating to
the very young as sea water.

Preferred Prison.

She—Here's an interesting story of a
man who begged to be sent to prison
in place of his wife. He—Aha! and yet
you always declare that men are never
self sacrificing. She—Well, this man's
wife happened to be a washerwoman,
and if she went to prison he'd have to
work.—Columbus Post.

He Found That Out.

"I could never understand," said
the solemn person, "what is the attrac-
tion in autoing."

"Perhaps," replied the beginner with
the bandaged head, "it's the attraction
of gravitation."—Philadelphia Press.

"FEED THE BRUTE."

Man Is Always Feevish Before He Has
His Breakfast.

The usual advice given to young
wives is to "feed the brute," and an
other warning is not to cross a man
before he has breakfasted.

"From my experience," says the pro-
prietor of a large restaurant which
serves many breakfasts, "I have
learned to avoid my male customers
before breakfast. Somehow ladies are
not so irritable at that hour of the day
as are their husbands and brothers."

"Many of my customers are early
risers, who call in on their way to
business. If you meet them in the
afternoon they would strike you as
being most companionable men, but
before breakfast even I keep out of
their way."

"They growl at the waiter, at the
food, at the waiter, at each other and
even at themselves. It is amusing to
watch the visible change as they get
through breakfast."

"With ladies it's quite different.
They are not nearly so numerous as
are the men, but they are much more
amiable. I sometimes wonder if it is
because they wake up less hungry.
But as to that I can only guess."

"The fact remains, however, that
man before he has broken his fast is
usually a disagreeable sort of animal."
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Realism.

"I mention the scenery,"
exclaimed the star. "That's carrying
commercialism really too far."

"It isn't commercialism," exclaimed
the manager. "We want the scene to
look like a real meadow, don't we?"—
London Tit-Bits.

Anxious.

"I feel uneasy about my money."

"Why, I didn't know you had any."

"I haven't. That's the reason I feel
uneasy."—Nashville American.

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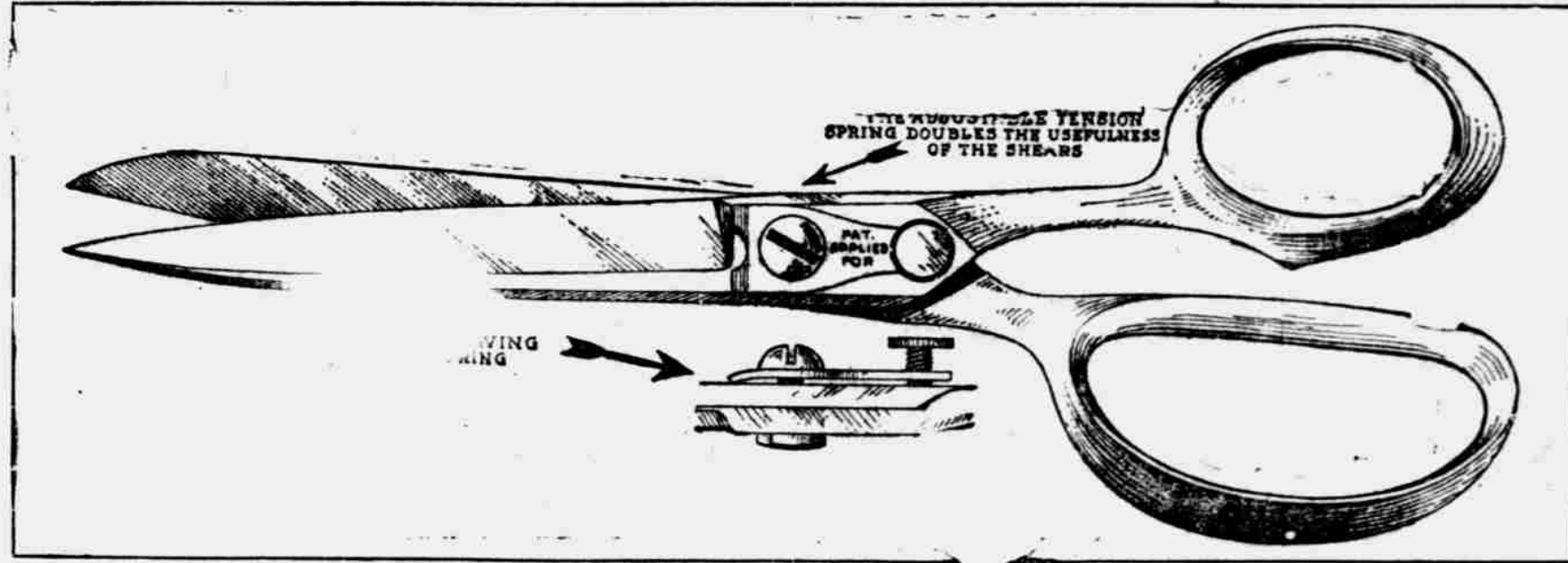
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