

WHALGREEN DENIES "DOPING" HORSES

At Overland Park in Denver During Western Circuit Races.

BRANDS REPORT AS FALSE.

Little Chance for that Kind of Work to Be Done There or in Salt Lake.

According to the Denver Post, somebody has been trying to stir up trouble for the turfmen of the Queen City since the races began at Overland park on the western circuit.

The races there have been about the best the Denverites have seen for many years, as the fastest horses in the western country have been entered almost daily. The fact that many of these same horses are coming to Salt Lake during the big six days meet, beginning on July 26, makes the story of the Denver ones' troubles doubly interesting.

It appears that Secy. Whitehead of the Humane society learned that about six horses had died, and he made the charge that they were "doped." Replying to the charge, Mr. Whalgreen, of the Denver club takes a fall out of Whitehead and denies emphatically that anything of the kind was done. As he says, there is hardly a chance for any crookedness, in view of the precautions taken by the officials.

The same applies to Salt Lake. Manager W. S. Jones of the Utah association says that such charges have never been made that he can recall, nor is there any chance of that now.

The races are to be run under the rules and regulations of the National Association of horsemen, which will be posted, indicating that the races are run on the square.

The statement of the facts in the Denver case follows, and the statement of Mr. Whalgreen shows that the charges have made the charges without investigation," said Secy. G. A. Whalgreen of the Denver-Overland racing club the morning after one of these six horses died from organic trouble. It was proved by the autopsy performed by Dr. M. J. Dunleavy, a veterinarian of this city, recognized as an authority. If Secy. Whitehead really has no motive in making other than a rank and little unfriendly for his work, he could have satisfied himself as to the truth in "doping" stories by consulting his cavalry.

The Denver and Bellingham clubs are completing investigation of the methods employed at the track. We employ the best officials in the country, all of whom would be quick to detect and "dope" and "fix" a race. We are working on an initiative in punishing the guilty without waiting to be prompted by the Humane society. Knowledge of the facts establishes the absolute absurdity of the charges and also gives us the right to demand that no make any investigation of the case. His statement is equivalent to charging G. A. Colburn and Edwin Daylor two prominent and wealthy Denver citizens and members of the Gentleman's Driving club of this city, of doping horses for they owned two of the horses which died. The veteran amateur on the race track knows that harness horses are not doped, and that Mr. Daylor, of Toledo, Ohio, Colburn compensated treatment of a \$10,000 trotter like Silverton, which caused his death. All there was at stake in the race which won him his death was a trophy club.

Mr. Daylor was the owner of the only thoroughbred which died after the meet opened. Does Mr. Whitehead mean to say that Mr. Daylor or his trainer, George H. Daylor, of Toledo, so that died from its effects?

The other three thoroughbreds died before the meeting opened, one from pneumonia contracted from a cold, from Colorado Springs, and the other two died after workouts but from natural causes. The result of organic trouble certainly Mr. Whitehead will not insist the others were "doped" their horses for work, he also.

The fact of the matter is that Mr. Whitehead is either maliciously inspired to do prominent men in their business an injustice or he has been taking stable room money for acts. Story of "doping" battles and "pulling" horses and "fixing" races can be heard on every race track, but almost invariably the reports are false. In our opinion, the board of stewards of the Denver-Overland club includes J. A. Brunt, president of the Gentlemen's Driving club of this city, and W. O. Reynolds, as well as others of unequal position. Mr. Starnes, another prominent Denver man, has supervision of the stables and Dr. Dunleavy investigates all circumstances which appear suspicious in the conduct of the racing. He has stated that a very check is kept on all sides and that even if attempted, could hardly be carried off undetected.

The Overland club will gladly accept terms with Mr. Whitehead in any proceedings for cruelty to the horses, but he

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Conrad Springs 3 8 3
Des Moines 9 11 3
Batteries—Stimpel and Messitt; Morris and Wakefield.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

San Francisco, July 10.—The failure of the Oakland team to arrive from the north in time cost them last week a series of games in which they lost all the games between the related team and Los Angeles today. Numerous errors almost cost the Oaklanders a shut out, their single run being scored by a wild pitch.

Recent base hits, which were well placed give the southerners the opportunity to pile up eight runs. The winners played an errorless game.

Score R. H. E.
Los Angeles 1 6 4
Oakland 1 6 4
Batteries—Gray and Eager; Hogan and Barnes; Umphreys—Perrine.

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SOME AUTOMOBILE GOSSIP.

Expert Declares That Electric Cars Are Better Than Gasoline Autos.

A paradoxical claim is made that the new course selected for the Vanderbilt cup race is safer because the turns are more dangerous. The argument is that the sharpness of the new turns prevents drivers from enough gas to control the feature. Three bunched hits and a base on balls win for the visitors in the lastinning.

Score R. H. E.
Tacoma 3 6 3
East Anchorage 3 6 3
Batteries—Brown and Hogan; Williams and Sheen; Umphreys—Fitzgerald; Whalen and Blatz's Davis.

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