

## LARGE CROWD AT THE SAUCER.

Most Successful Cycle Meet Pulled  
Off This Season.

### SOME SCORCHING FINISHES.

Ten Mile Lap Invitation Race Proved  
Very Interesting—Couple of Spills  
With the Amateurs.

Hair raising finishes and a couple of  
jump raising spills caused thrills of  
excitement to chase up and down the  
spines of about 3,000 persons at the  
Salt Palace last evening.

At no time did the spectators have  
time to think of anything except what  
was going on and what was likely to  
happen.

Both spills were incited by young  
Bob Williams and he got decidedly the  
worst of each mix up.

In the second heat of the half mile  
open amateur Williams tried to crowd  
Hoffman up the track and the latter  
declined with thanks and gently  
poked Williams on the arm with his  
bare hand.

Bobby tried it again on the other  
side of the track and the next mo-  
ment the dusky lad was doing great  
things with the Salt Palace associa-  
tion's real estate in the arena. Man-  
ager Bill Rishell remarked that a few  
more performances of that kind would  
save the expense of mowing the grass.

But the other side was even worse  
than the first. Williams had the pole  
and tried to climb up to take Hoffman's  
place. The riders were all bunched  
when suddenly there was a crash, a  
shock of fright, a cloud of dust and  
only one rider on the track. Hoffman  
retained his position and won the heat.

Baker who took a long ride from the  
city to the track jumped on his trusty  
steed of steel and won second place.  
Hume performed exceedingly well.  
After he struck this mundane sphere  
he rolled head over heels for about  
fifty yards and a quarter, jumped up,  
whooped, cracked his heels together  
and riding around the track, got third  
place.

The final of the half mile amateur  
brought out a hot finish between Eddie  
Smith and Hoffman. For half a lap it  
was up and tuck but Hoffman won by  
a bare half a foot.

The Turville brothers were in the  
mile race and Hoffman won by the  
mile mark cycle record of 1:27.3-5 but  
the best they could do was 1:30.

The most interesting event of any  
seen on the track for a long time was  
the mile lap invitation race in which  
there were twelve competitors and  
no falls. There was money in it.  
The winner of each mile made \$2.  
The race finished in 2:08. The winner  
was Billy Vaughan, who received the  
sum of \$35 therefore, Clem Turville got  
second and \$15, John Chapman third  
and Charles Turville fourth.

During the greatest number of laps  
—25—and got \$25 for it. John Lawson  
won second in laps and the greatest  
number of miles for which he received  
\$1.

**SUMMARY.**  
Half-mile open amateur—First heat—  
Eddie Smith first, Hume second, Bowers  
third. Time, 1:30. Second heat—  
Hoffman first, Clayton second, Hume  
third, Baker fourth. Time, 1:30.

Final—Hoffman first, Smith second,  
Grimes third. Time, 1:30.

Mile record trial, motor, by Turville  
brothers. Time, 1:30.

Three-quarter-mile handicap, amateur  
—First heat—Hoffman first, Clayton  
second, Hume third, Clayton fourth, Hume  
fifth, Clayton sixth. Time, 1:29.3-5.

Second heat—Leyland, 55 yards, first;  
Angel, 50 yards, second; Grimes, 60  
yards, third. Time, 1:24.5.

Final—Hoffman first, Grimes second,  
Angel third, Hume fourth. Time, 1:25.

Ten-mile lap invitation professional—  
Vaughan first, Clem Turville second,  
John Chapman third, Charles Turville  
fourth. Time, 2:08. Oscar Julius,  
twenty-five laps, winner of most laps;  
John Lawson, second, thirteen laps;  
John Lawson, three laps, winner of  
most miles. Time, 2:03. 4:12.2-5, 6:23,  
8:40, 10:57, 13:11, 15:25, 17:48, 20:04, 22:05.

**Salt Lakes vs. Lagoons.**  
This afternoon at Lagoons the Salt  
Lakes and Lagoons are indulging in an  
exhibition game of baseball.

Hawley pitches for the Salt Lakes  
and little Kostol for the farmers. The  
game is scheduled for 4 o'clock.

**Official Golf Guide.**  
Spalding's Official Golf Guide is the  
June number of Spalding's Athletic  
Library. It is edited by the well known  
golfer, Charles S. Cox, of New York,  
who has compiled a very interesting  
work on the "royal and ancient game."  
The 226 pages of the book comprise  
pictures of well known golfers, with a  
list of Harry Vardon in various  
positions taken during his career.  
The scores of last year and preceding  
years of golf in this country form a  
useful record of the game for those in-  
terested in the statistics of the sport.  
While the general contents are of a  
very clear exposition of play which will  
be found of great help to the novice  
and can be read with profit by all. The  
constitution, by-laws and rules of the  
United States Golf association, the  
Metropolitan handicap list, useful hints  
for players, a glossary of technical  
terms and other features will be found  
in its pages.

**OUTSIDE EVENTS.**  
**EASTERN BALL GAMES.**  
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duced to 25 Cents.

**STANDING OF THE CLUBS.**

Pittsburgh . . . . . 27 18 .609  
New York . . . . . 22 17 .565  
Philadelphia . . . . . 22 21 .512  
St. Louis . . . . . 22 22 .500  
Brooklyn . . . . . 22 22 .500  
Cincinnati . . . . . 21 20 .476  
Chicago . . . . . 18 19 .486  
Cleveland . . . . . 16 19 .459

**YESTERDAY'S GAMES.**  
Brooklyn, 16; New York, 5.

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Boston, 5; Philadelphia, 4.  
Pittsburg, 9; St. Louis, 2.

**TODAY'S GAMES.**  
Cincinnati at Brooklyn,  
Chicago at Boston,  
Pittsburg at New York,  
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

**Boston 5, Philadelphia 4.**  
Boston, June 18.—After Philadelphia  
had apparently won today through Pit-  
tsburg's wildness, the eighth Boston  
batted out a victory in the ninth. The  
National league management has de-  
clared to reduce the price of admission  
to 15 cents for the balance of the  
season. Attendance, 125.

**SCORE.**  
R. H. E.  
Boston . . . . . 5 10 2  
Philadelphia . . . . . 4 6 2  
Batteries—Willie and Kittredge; Or-  
th and Douglas. Umpire—Nash.

**Pittsburg 9, St. Louis, 2.**  
Pittsburg, June 18.—At no stage of  
the game was St. Louis near the front.  
Pittsburg four tallies in the first inning  
seemed to take the heart out of the  
visitors and the balance of the game  
was slow and uninteresting. Attend-  
ance, 3,400.

**SCORE.**  
R. H. E.  
Pittsburg . . . . . 9 13 4  
St. Louis . . . . . 2 9 2  
Batteries—Phillippi and O'Connor;  
Murphy and Nichols. Umpire—O'Day.

**Brooklyn 10, New York 5.**  
Brooklyn, June 18.—The Brooklyn re-  
turned from a successful Western trip  
today and defeated the New Yorks in a  
hard hitting game. Four pitchers were  
used up, Hughes and Taylor being suc-  
ceeded by Donovan and Denzer. At-  
tendance, 6,000.

**SCORE.**  
R. H. E.  
New York . . . . . 5 14 2  
Brooklyn . . . . . 10 12 2  
Batteries—Hughes, Donovan and McGuire.

**American League.**  
**STANDING OF CLUBS.**

P. W. L. P. C.  
Chicago . . . . . 27 18 .609  
Detroit . . . . . 27 19 .588  
Boston . . . . . 24 17 .588  
Washington . . . . . 19 15 .559  
Baltimore . . . . . 18 20 .473  
Philadelphia . . . . . 18 23 .436  
Cleveland . . . . . 18 24 .432  
Milwaukee . . . . . 16 25 .389

**YESTERDAY'S GAMES.**  
Baltimore, 11; Milwaukee, 4.  
Boston, 4; Chicago, 3.  
Philadelphia, 5; Cleveland, 2.  
Washington, 6; Detroit, 10.

**TODAY'S GAMES.**  
Chicago at Boston,  
Cleveland at Philadelphia,  
Detroit at Washington,  
Milwaukee at Baltimore.

**Boston 4, Chicago 3.**  
Boston, June 18.—Griffith was put out  
of the game in Boston's half of the  
sixth inning for kicking on the um-  
pire's chest. Harvey took his place  
and did well, but Boston had won the  
game before Griffith went out. Attend-  
ance, 4,075.

**SCORE.**  
R. H. E.  
Boston . . . . . 4 7 3  
Chicago . . . . . 3 7 4  
Batteries—Lewis and Schreck; Grif-  
fith; Harvey and Sullivan.

**Baltimore 11, Milwaukee 4.**  
Baltimore, June 18.—Milwaukee's home  
run in the third inning won the game  
for Baltimore today. Milwaukee could  
do very little with Howell. Attend-  
ance, 1,639.

**SCORE.**  
R. H. E.  
Baltimore . . . . . 11 10 2  
Milwaukee . . . . . 4 7 4  
Batteries—Howell and Robinson;  
Sparks and Maloney.

**Philadelphia 5, Cleveland 2.**  
Philadelphia, June 18.—Dwelling's  
curves mystified the home team today  
and Plank was easy for Cleveland. The  
visitors won without difficulty. Attend-  
ance, 3,815.

**SCORE.**  
R. H. E.  
Cleveland . . . . . 2 14 4  
Philadelphia . . . . . 5 4 4  
Batteries—Dwelling and Yeager;  
Plank and Powers.

**Washington 6, Detroit 10.**  
Washington, June 18.—Washington  
and Detroit engaged in a batting ex-  
hibition today and the visitors clinched  
the game in the sixth by bunting five  
times and a home run. Attendance,  
4,135.

**SCORE.**  
R. H. E.  
Washington . . . . . 6 12 4  
Detroit . . . . . 10 15 3  
Batteries—Carrick, Gear and Clarke;  
Cronin and Buelow.

**RACES CALLED OFF.**  
Chicago Court's Injunction Prevents  
Further Sport.

Chicago, June 19.—Secretary Nathan-  
son of the Harlem Jockey club last  
night issued a statement calling off the  
remaining three days of the meeting.  
Following is the statement:  
"Our intention was to race out the  
remaining three days of our meeting  
without allowing betting, but our at-  
torney's advice is not to race as such  
action might be construed as disre-  
spectful to the court's injunction and  
might injure our case, which comes up  
on Monday."

The decision to close the track was  
a surprise to the public and to most  
of the bookmakers. The managers of  
the track held a conference last night  
and the above notice was issued.  
The decision to close the track was  
the result of Judge Holden's refusal to  
dissolve Judge Holden's injunction re-  
straining the race track people.

Out of the court the bookmakers re-  
ceived a blow when Mayor Harrison  
declared with emphasis that he would  
not allow betting on the Derby to be  
run at the opening of the Washington  
Park races on Saturday. Chief O'Neill  
declared that he would act "when the  
time comes."

"There certainly will be no gambling  
at the derby," were the words the  
mayor used.

"I will permit no gambling there  
and that was the understanding on  
which the license was issued."

There is no doubt that the American  
derby will be run whether there is any  
betting or not. It is reported that the  
chief of police has received certain  
instructions but it is not believed that  
the mayor will enforce the threat made  
by him that there will be no betting.

Present indications are that the field  
for the Derby will be composed of  
these horses:  
Outlander, The Parader, Water Col-

or, Sadie S., Terminus, Brutal, Bonni-  
ber, Beau Gallant, Alfonso, Lady  
Schor, His Eminence, Sammarzo and  
Royal Victor, Hernando, Silverdale  
and Cannon are doubtful starters.  
Weather and other conditions may  
make some change in the forecast of  
the field given above.

**BOXERS IN A NEW ROLE.**  
Will be Seen in New York at West-  
ling Bout.

New York, June 19.—According to  
the World, preparations are under way  
for a wrestling bout in which the  
best boxers in this country will be  
seen in New York in a new role. It  
has been stated of excellent authority  
that Madison Square Garden will soon  
be the scene of bouts between Ruhl-  
in, Sharkey, Fitzsimmons, and other  
prominent heavy-weights. Persons who  
have leased the garden, are said to be  
negotiating with Ruhl-in and Sharkey  
for the first match, which will be de-  
cided within a few weeks. The bouts will  
be arranged for nights when the gar-  
den is not given up to cycle racing.  
Fitzsimmons said a few days ago he  
would not take up wrestling, but a  
friend of the Cornishman says that  
Fitzsimmons will probably be prevailed  
upon to enter the contest.

Sharkey confirms the report that a  
wrestling match is being arranged for  
him with Ruhl-in. He said the bout  
would open up the wrestling tourney at  
the garden and would be followed by  
other meetings between the heavy  
weights.

**Trans Atlantic Races.**  
New York, June 19.—The proposed  
Trans Atlantic race between yachts of  
the America's cup class and receiving  
much consideration from yachtsmen in  
this city. The fact that Sir Thomas  
Lipton looks with favor on the propo-  
sition leads many to believe that  
Thomas W. Lawson and J. Butler  
Duncan will agree to enter the in-  
dependence and the Constitution  
against the Shamrock. J. V. S. Oddie,  
secretary of the New York Yacht Club,  
has been seen last night and said that  
the Trans-Atlantic race had not yet been  
brought to the attention of the club.

**FOR A NEW THIRD PARTY.**  
First Definite Step for Organizing Taken in  
Kansas City.

To be Formed of Silver Republicans  
and Populists—Said to Have Mr.  
Bryan's Sympathy.

Kansas City, Mo., July 17.—The first  
definite step toward the organization  
of a new "third party," which is pro-  
posed to embrace Missouri and to form  
the nucleus for a national growth, was  
taken today in Kansas City at a con-  
ference of members of the Populist  
state committee and a few Free Silver  
Republicans. The movement is said to  
have the expressed sympathy of W. J.  
Bryan, who, it is further hinted, is to  
be the new party's candidate for Presi-  
dent in 1904.

Lee Merriweather of St. Louis and  
twenty-two other leaders in the Public  
Ownership party of St. Louis, arrived  
in Kansas City this morning after hav-  
ing spent the whole of yesterday in  
consultation with Mr. Bryan at Lin-  
coln. Mr. Merriweather and his fol-  
lowers went to Lincoln from St. Louis  
Sunday. Their purpose was to confer  
with Mr. Bryan and to learn his views  
in regard to the third party movement.  
Mr. Merriweather is quoted in his  
statements concerning Mr. Bryan, but  
says that if Mr. Bryan does not sup-  
port the present movement he is at  
any rate in sympathy with it. His  
purpose, for it is to advocate the same  
principles which Mr. Bryan has ex-  
pressed.

J. H. Cook, chairman of the state  
central committee of the fusion wing  
of the Populist party, said that if the  
Democratic party is captured by the  
gold-standard element, Mr. Bryan will  
be forced by a logic of events into  
the leadership of the new party. The  
conference was secret. It will be con-  
cluded tomorrow and end with a public  
meeting when the result of the gather-  
ing will be embodied in an address to  
the people of Missouri.

**Stabbed Him in the Eye.**  
Marshalltown, Iowa, June 18.—At Un-  
ion, just across the line in Hardin coun-  
ty, Mel Clemens last night killed Will  
Burgart by driving him through the  
eye with an iron bar. The two have  
been bitter enemies. Burgart was sit-  
ting on a box on the sidewalk when  
Clemens came up to him and knocked  
him prostrate with an iron bar. Clem-  
ens then threw himself on Burgart and  
stabbed him in the eye with the bar.  
The victim lived two hours. Clemens  
was arrested and a mob formed and at-  
tempted to take him from the officers,  
but he was finally placed safely in the  
county jail at Eldorado. Lynching is  
feared and the jail is carefully guarded.

**WEALTHY CUBAN SUICIDES.**  
Did So Because He Could Not Master  
the English Language.

New York, June 19.—Despondent be-  
cause of the difficulty he experienced  
in learning the English language, Por-  
firio Caster, son of a wealthy custom  
broker from Havana, Cuba, commit-  
ted suicide last night by jumping out  
of the window of his room on the  
fourth floor of a boarding house on  
West Twenty-fifth street. It was said  
that the boarding house that he had  
suffering from nervous prostration for  
some time and probably was tempo-  
rarily insane when he committed suicide.

**Maitland Kersey Probably Dead.**  
New York, June 19.—The World says:  
A report reached the White Star line  
yesterday last night that H. Maitland  
Kersey, formerly agent of the line, had  
died in South Africa, where he went as  
a commissioned officer in a British  
regiment. It was impossible to verify  
the rumor and Mr. Kersey's friends  
were not inclined to credit it.

Mr. Kersey was the agent of Lord  
Dunraven at the time of that noble-  
man's efforts in connection with the  
America's cup. He retired from the  
line and went to the Klondike, where he  
became general manager of the Yukon  
Steamship company. He married in 1882  
Miss Ivy Wandesford, a California  
beauty, who subsequently obtained a  
divorce.

**NEGRO DISFRANCHISEMENT.**  
Congressman Clayton Favors the  
Southern View of the Question.

New York, June 19.—Henry D. Clay-  
ton, of Alabama, one of the Democratic  
leaders of the House and a member of  
the Democratic national committee, is  
quoted in a Washington special to the  
Tribune as follows concerning the gen-  
eral movement in the South for the  
disfranchisement of the negroes:  
"We of the South are not afraid to  
grapple with this negro question as  
it should be grappled with. Democratic  
supremacy has been maintained in  
the South in spite of negro suffrage  
and that supremacy will be main-  
tained by the more secure when the  
blacks are wholly disfranchised, as  
witness in Mississippi, Louisiana  
and South Carolina. Out of the  
reduction of our representation in  
Congress and the electoral college be-  
cause of negro disfranchisement, I re-  
gard that as a political blunder pure  
and simple."

## MARKLAND TELLS HIS STORY.

Had a Hearing Before the Police  
Committee Last Night.

### CASE UNDER ADVISEMENT.

Whole Trouble Was Again Gone Over  
in Detail—Will be Decided Later  
—Markland's Condition.

C. E. Markland had his hearing before  
the police and prison committee of the  
Council yesterday evening. The hear-  
ing commenced at about 6:30, and  
Markland and Officers Davies and Lin-  
coln, Sergeant Hempel, Jailer Kimball,  
and others were rigidly examined by At-  
torney F. C. Loughborough for the police and  
Judge Arnold and Attorney Thomas  
Mitchell for the complaint, besides an-  
swering many questions put by the  
members of the committee.

Markland's story is that Officer Davies  
searched him, took his revolver and  
then placed him under arrest without  
a warrant. He said that Davies and  
Hempel had been rough with him at  
the station and that he had been re-  
fused when his valuables were taken  
from him. He also alleged that he had  
had a fight with Motormen Read  
in which his foot and head had been  
hurt. The duration of his arrest, he  
claimed was between 5 and 6 hours.

Davies in answer to questions said  
that he went to arrest Markland in  
response to a telephone message that  
he was trying to escape. He said he  
did not know till he arrived on the  
scene that Read was the complainant.  
Read said that Markland was en-  
raged and had gone home to get a  
gun to kill him. Davies denied the  
truth of Markland's statement that he  
had asked for the services of a lawyer  
and a doctor while under arrest.

Hempel's testimony was much on the  
same lines. He said that Markland had  
struck at him, but that he had been  
treated with every consideration. He  
corroborated Markland's statement that  
he had refused to accept a check from  
him as bail. The orders were that noth-  
ing but cash should be received in such  
cases.

Jailer Kimball said he had done all  
he could to make Markland comfort-  
able. He said the prisoner had not  
mentioned Dr. Miles, and that he had  
not sent for the city physician, as it  
was hard to get him, and he had  
known enough to attend to any or-  
dinary ailments.

Markland under examination admit-  
ted that at times he suffered from ner-  
vous spells, when it was hard for him  
to control his temper or act reasonably.

**AN EXPERT CHEMIST.**  
One is Employed to Make Tests of Milk  
—Other Business.

At last night's Council meeting on  
recommutation of Councilman Beatty  
it was resolved to employ Herman  
Harnes, an expert chemist, formerly  
with the Nelson-Judson Drug company,  
to test milk for impurities. Mr. Harnes  
will also make analyses of city water  
when required and make cultures of  
diphtheria germs when required to do  
so by the board of health for the pur-  
pose of quickly diagnosing suspected  
cases of diphtheria. Councilman Beatty  
said that Mr. Harnes was going to  
test a laboratory which will interfere  
enough of his time for the city's wants  
for the modest income of \$50 a month,  
which he considered an offer that  
should not be overlooked.

Dr. Beatty also presented a new  
plumbing inspection ordinance, calling  
for a salary for a plumbing inspector  
of \$100, which he said was necessary in  
order to procure a competent man. The  
sanitary committee and the commis-  
sioners on laws will act on the matter.  
Councilman Thomas introduced a resolu-  
tion that hereafter permission to lay  
their own sidewalks and to interfere  
with the permission already given to  
lay gravel sidewalks on Third East  
street from Eighth South to Tenth South,  
and elsewhere.

Hempel's resolution to sell the Par-  
ley's canyon hay crop went through.  
Bids for cutting the crop in small lots  
will be opened June 28th. The salary  
of the poll tax clerk was increased from  
\$80 to \$125 a month.

Robertson's resolution to change the  
committee meeting night from Friday  
to Monday was adopted.

The council approved all of the sales  
of city property except the two lots  
amounting to \$47.36. The two re-  
jected were the lot at the corner of H  
and Tenth streets, sold to L. L. God-

**If a Woman**  
wants to put out a fire she doesn't  
dread oil and water. She throws  
on water, knowing that water quenches  
fire. When a woman wants to get  
well from diseases peculiar to her sex,  
she should not add fuel to the fire  
already burning her life away. She  
should not take worthless drugs and  
potions composed of harmful narcotics  
and opiates. They do not check the  
disease—they do not cure it—they  
simply add fuel to the fire.

Bradfield's Female  
Regulator should be  
taken by every woman  
or girl who has the  
slightest suspicion of  
any ailment which af-  
fects women. They will  
simply be waiting time  
until they take it.  
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ening tonic, which reaches  
at the roots of the  
disease and cures it.  
It does not irritate the  
bowels, it eradicates it.  
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leucorrhoea, inflammation  
and periodical suffering. Ir-  
regular, scanty or painful  
menstruation; acidity and  
all this drives away the  
hundred and one aches and  
pains which drain health  
and beauty, happiness and  
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**WANTED TO BE LOCKED UP.**  
Los Angeles Man Had Enough in One  
Night of Jail Life.

The police were confronted with a  
very peculiar case last night when a  
well dressed man giving his name as  
Charles Schmidt, and claiming to hail  
from Los Angeles, called at the station  
and said that he was being followed by  
three men who were bent on his destruc-  
tion. He begged for a protection for  
his life to be locked up in the city  
jail. He was wild-eyed and was great-  
ly frightened. He insisted that three  
men had been following him around  
with the determination to kill him. In  
vain did the officers try to convince  
him that it was merely his imagination,  
and he would not be quiet until locked  
up.

Schmidt's hallucination was the ef-  
fect of a protracted spree, and he ad-  
mitted that he has been drinking heav-  
ily for several days. He turned over  
to the desk sergeant a gold watch and  
about \$100 in cash, before being  
locked up. This morning Schmidt was  
feeling all right and was allowed to de-  
part.

**CHASED BY A NEGRO.**  
Young Lady Badly Frightened—Man  
Locked Up.

Richard Wilson, a young negro em-  
ployed at the Knutsford hotel, was ar-  
rested last night while following Miss  
Annie Peterson, who was walking  
along First South street.

Miss Peterson passed the police sta-  
tion about 9:30 o'clock, and noticed that  
she was being followed by a negro. Sev-  
eral of the policemen also noticed the  
fact and watched the man closely.  
When Miss Peterson neared the corner  
of Second East she increased her pace,  
but the negro gained on her. The young  
woman became alarmed, and started  
to run across the street when Wilson  
took after her. At that moment Capt.  
Earl and Fireman Williams ran after  
the negro and seized him when he was  
within ten feet of the young woman.  
When caught, Wilson said: "I wasn't

chasing the woman; I was not follow-  
ing her."

He was taken to the station and  
turned over to the police. The officers  
had reason to believe that Wilson is  
the same who attempted to assault  
two young ladies on Eighth South and  
Second West street Sunday night last.  
While the officers were talking about  
the case last night a reporter on a  
morning paper asked Officer Sperry for  
the names of the girls who were as-  
saulted. He says that he refused to  
tell their names, but to his surprise  
he found their names in the morning  
papers. Sperry at once proceeded to in-  
vestigate, and says that the mother of  
one of the girls, Mrs. Erickson, was very in-  
dignant to think that she had been imposed  
upon by the reporter, and the officers  
were loud in their denunciations of  
such methods and there is talk of mak-  
ing it exceedingly warm for the report-  
er, who, it is said, impersonated an offi-  
cer.

The young ladies who claim to have  
been approached by the negro are Miss  
Carrie Erickson and Miss Clara Had-  
ley. The negro struck Miss Hadley on  
the head with a walking stick. When  
arrested Wilson had a walking stick in  
his possession. The matter is to be  
more fully investigated.

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The friends of Mrs.