

CITY ISLAND, N. Y., Aug. 26.—Passed East—Steam yachts Reva, George L. Ronalds; Charlietta, W. B. Higgins; Orienta, E. R. Ladew; Helvetia, Columbus O'D. Iselin, and Lorna, W. L. Stow.

Passed West—Steam yachts Columbia, J. H. Ladew; Tillie, W. H. Starbuck; Theresa, Gustavus Sidenberg; Almy, Frederic Gallatin; Peerless, Charles W. Harkness; Aquillo, estate of George A. Thayer, and Cosette, F. L. Osgood. Schooner yachts Columbia, Stephen H. Ring; Fleetwing, Joseph R. De Lamar, and cutter yacht Xara, Philip T. Dodge.

Came to Anchor from the Eastward—Sloop yacht Norota, F. M. Hoyt.

The sloop yacht Bonnie Kate, C. E. Knoblauch, was hauled out this afternoon at Piepgras's yard to clean and paint.

Came to Anchor from New-York—Schooner yacht Vif, R. F. Clarke, and sloop yacht Vision, Mark Hartley.

Left for the Eastward—Schooner yacht Amorita, W. Gould Brokaw.

SHELTER ISLAND, L. I., Aug. 26.—Sailed—Steam yachts Stranger, Miss Lewis; Lagonda, S. H. Austin, Jr.; Kanapaha, the Rev. W. L. Moore; Almy, Frederic Gallatin, and Maspeth, C. M. Meyer.

Arrived—Sloop yachts Truant, J. N. Kalley; sloop yacht Spy, cutter Wenona, Gen. W. Weston; sloops Pohahontas, J. D. Smith; schooner Priscilla, Dr. Woodbury.

At Anchor—Schooners Madaline, Commodore Dickerson; Woodmansee, E. B. Carpenter; Emerald, J. R. Maxwell; Telfer, W. A. Parry; Carrie, I. J. Merritt; steam yachts Rival, F. F. Christie and Magnolia, Henry Belknap; cutter Awa, A. De W. Cochrane.

NEW-LONDON, Conn., Aug. 26.—Arrived—Steamer Magnolia, Henry Belknap, and proceeded, cruising; sloop Oriva, Chester Monroe; Thistle, J. H. Ford, and Helen, P. L. Smith.

In Port—Steamers Kalolah, Diane, Unquowa, and Gretchen; schooner Her Royal Highness, sloops Nepenthe, Valkyr, Marion, Saracen, Culprit Fay, and Imperial of New-York.

Sailed—Griffon, Rhineland, Waldos, Neckan, schooner Idelwild, sloops Addie and White Wings.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 26.—Yachts sailing to-day are schooners Monreve of the Eastern Yacht Club and Elsemarie, J. Berre King.

Yachts arriving to-day were schooners Norma, E. R. Coleman, and Glendoveer of the New-York Yacht Club, and sloop Volunteer, J. M. Forbes.

Other yachts in port to-night are steamers White Ladye, Ogden Goelet; Shearwater, Edwin D. Morgan; Sultana, John R. Drexel; Conqueror, Frederick W. Vanderbilt; Vallant, William K. Vanderbilt; Radha, Joel B. Wolfe; Ballymena, John Nicholas Brown; Spendthrift, E. H. Harriman; Thyra, James Stillman; Wampanoag, Hugh L. Willoughby; Zara, F. Grand d'Hauteville; Satanella, Perry Belmont, and Sakonnet, Frederick Sheldon. Schooners Meteor, Henry Pearce; Intrepid, George W. Weld, and Varuna, Sturgis, and Rives, and sloops Wasp, R. L. Lippitt; Ilderim, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr.; Uvira, Frederick P. Sands; Ziguener, Max Agassiz; Katrina, George Work, and Mineola, August Belmont.

COTTAGE CITY, Mass., Aug. 26.—In port—Yawl Maggie, Providence.

Cruising—Sloops Wenonah, New-York, for Newport; Painter, New-Bedford, for Newport.

Sailed—Steamers Chetolah, Newburyport, for Newport; Genevieve, Onset, for Monument Beach; schooners Ariel, New-York, for Newport; Phantom, New-York, for New-London. The schooner Merlin and auxiliary steamer Wild Duck are at Wood's Holl.

The steam yacht Nereid, sunk at Wood's Holl, has been towed to New-Bedford for repairs.

## NEW BOWLING LEAGUE.

### Changes in Rules for the Sport for the Winter.

At the convention of bowlers held at Beethoven Hall, in Fifth Street, last night, a permanent organization, to be known as the National League of American Bowlers, was effected. It is the aim of the new organization to adopt rules, which have already been drawn up, to govern all bowling tournaments held in the United States.

Several important changes have been made in the old rules. About the most important of these changes will be the rolling of two balls per man each frame, instead of three. This will shorten the games, and also add much interest to a competition. The scoring rules will also probably be modified, so that the maximum score will be 200, instead of 300.

Thomas Curtis of Brooklyn was elected President and Samuel Karpf of New-York Secretary. These delegates were in attendance: Suburban Athletic League, New-Jersey, H. H. Lake; United Bowling Clubs, New-York, A. Feldman and Julius Faino; Has Been League, L. F. Schutte; Uncle Sam National Tournament, Dr. Timm and C. F. Niglutch; Royal Arcanum League, New-York, T. C. Johansmeyer, G. E. Gaffney, and Dr. G. E. Pickalter; Bergen Hill Bowling League, Brooklyn, J. Woherten, M. Siebeck, and G. H. Reinecke; Bowlers' Journal League, E. E. St. Anain; Gondrano's League, W. Ward; Yorkville and Harlem League, J. Zenn and S. Karpf; Brooklyn Bicycle Tournament, G. T. Stebbins; Thum Individual Tournament, Louis Stein; Echo Bowling League, Thomas Curtis; Buffalo (N. Y.) Bowling Association, Joseph Thum; Wheeling Bowling Association, Wheeling, West Va., E. M. Statler.