

A GREAT PEDESTRIAN FEAT.

Weston Walks 550 Miles With Five Minutes to Spare—Wins the Astley Belt, a bet of \$2,500, and the World's Championship.

London, June 21, 11 p. m.—The great contest is finished. Weston is just being proclaimed, with shouts and cheers, champion of the world. He completed his 550th mile precisely at eleven, winning the belt, his bet of \$2,500 and the championship. From 2 p. m. until 8, Weston, after five days on the track, continued making 5 miles an hour. At 2 o'clock the score stood 507. During the next six hours he had piled up the miles to 536. The excitement was wonderful, and the plucky hero of the hour was greeted with shouts and cheers as he plodded along. From 8 o'clock the excitement steadily increased, and reached the culminating point just before the finish. At half-past 9 Weston had made the highest score on record, 543 miles, 5 laps, beating "Blower" Brown's great score of 542 miles, made in the same hall in April. The hall was filled with an enthusiastic crowd, who seemed never to grow tired of cheering. Weston though evidently suffering from fatigue maintained a smiling face, and was the recipient of many friendly greetings. The great struggle came to an end at 11 o'clock, Weston doing 550 miles, with 5 minutes to spare.

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