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#### SPRINGFIELD, MASS., RACES.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass.—Sept. 5, 1876—\$2,000, for horses that had never beaten 2:30; mile heats, 3 in 5 in harness; closed with ten entries. \$1,250 to first, \$350 to second, \$75 to third, 250 to fourth.

J Golden's b g Dick Swiveller 1 1 1  
Nye & Foster's b m Alambino Kate 2 2 3  
W Sanford's b m Carrie N 4 3 2  
A B Post's br g Big Fellow 3 4 4  
C S Green's br m Rose, Phelps & Co's b m  
Sadie Howe, W Sargent's b g Lafitte, A S Parson's b g Arlington, W Van Valkenburg's b g  
Captain Smith, and J McGrew's b g Romeo, all withdrawn.

Time—2:29, 2:30, 2:31.  
Same Day—\$2,500, for horses that had never beaten 2:24; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness; closed with eleven entries. \$1,250 to first, \$250 to second, \$75 to third, 250 to fourth.

G Walker's blk m My Bird 1 1 1  
M McLann's b m Carrie 4 2 3  
W H Crawford's b m Annie Collins 5 4 2  
J J Bowen's b g Honest Harry 2 5 5  
W S Sargent's br h Commonwealth 3 8 4  
B Doble's b m Belle Brantfield 6 6 5  
C S Green's b g Broeze, J Trout's b m Nettie  
Barkley, B Mac's b g Orant, A Boyce's b m  
Nellie Irwin, and M J Van Spoler's x m Blue  
Marc, withdrawn.

Time—2:27, 2:24, 2:26.  
Same Day—Purse \$300, for all ages; two miles, over hurdles; \$175 to first, 75 to second, and 50 to third.

Dr Lynch's gr c Derby, 4 yrs, by Eugene, dam  
by Sovereign, 148 lbs. 1  
M Donohue's b h Stanford, 8 yrs, by Bay Dick,  
dam by Seythien, 153 lbs. 2  
Daly Brothers' b m Lorena, 6 yrs, by Revolver,  
dam Gentle Annie, 155 lbs. 3  
M Jordan's gr g Bill Monday, 4 yrs, by Redg-  
ers, dam by Excelsior, 145 lbs. 4

Time—4:14.  
Sept. 6—\$2,500, for horses that had never beaten 2:29; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness; closed with eleven entries. \$1,250 to first, \$250 to second, \$75 to third, and 250 to fourth.

J McAndrew's ch g Planter 4 3 1 1 1  
C B Gillman's b g Bay 2 1 1 2 3  
T B Foster's g g Gray Bill 1 4 2 3 4  
Mason & Co's ch m Martha Washing-  
ton 8 3 3 4 3  
A Goldsmith's br m Trio 5 5 dr  
C S Green's b m Mattie, A M Harris' b g Col-  
burn, J Trout's b g Baquo, W Bargeant's b g  
Bridgde, A C Bridgde's br h Damon and A P  
Sargent & Son's ch h General Grant withdrawn.

Time—2:30, 2:27, 2:27, 2:23, 2:25.  
Same Day—\$3,000, for horses that had never beaten 2:22; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness; closed with eleven entries. \$1,500 to first, 750 to second, 450 to third, and 200 to fourth.

D Muckle's b m Bella 1 1 1  
B Doble's b h Sam Pardy 3 2 2  
J Phillips' b m Adelaide 3 2 2  
J M Pettit's g g Slow Go 4 3 4  
D A Snell's b m Lady Snell 6 5 5  
B Mac's b g Sensation 5 6 dr  
D Mac's b m Amy dis  
C S Green's blk g Prospero, C H Reed's blk  
Blanche, W V Smith's b g Joker and J A  
Bachelier's b g John H withdrawn.

Time—2:22, 2:22, 2:26.  
Sept 7, 1876.—Open to all, purse \$4,000; mile heats, 3 in 5.  
Goldsmith Maid 1 1 1

#### Same Day—Steeplechase. Purse \$400. Two and a half miles.

Derby  
Stanford .. .. . 1  
Wensel .. .. . 2  
Time—5:25

#### TROTTING AT FLEETWOOD PARK.

Fleetwood Park Course, Morrisania, New York.—Turf, Field and Farm Stakes for the foals of 1875, to be trotted at Fleetwood Park, between the 1st and 10th of September, 1876; open to all three-year olds not entered in a stake prior to the third day of May; \$150 each, \$50 to accompany the nominations, and \$100 additional on the 1st of September, 1876; mile heats; three-fourths of the stake to the first horse, and one-fourth to the second horse.

Henry B Hart, New York City, en-  
ters b c by Seneca Chief. Rec'd forfeit  
John C Dowling, New York City,  
enters b c Spanarack. Paid forfeit  
John Van Patten, Schenectady, N  
Y, enters br h Victor Mohawk. Paid forfeit  
Charles Backman, Stony Ford, N Y  
enters Wilhelmina. Paid forfeit  
H C Woodnut, Superintendent,  
Flushing, L I, enters Silvester Paid forfeit

Same Day.—Turf Field and Farm Stake, for foals of 1872, to be trotted at Fleetwood Park, in connection with the Turf, Field and Farm Three-Year-Old Colt Stake, between the 1st and 10th of September, 1876; \$250 each; \$50 to be paid on or before the closing of the stake, \$100 on the first of June, 1876, and the remaining \$100 on the 1st of September, 1876; mile heats, best 3 in 5, in harness; two-thirds of the stakes to go to first horse and the remaining one-third to second horse.

Charles Backman's ch f Miranda. Rec'd forfeit  
Owner's b c Fra Diavolo. Paid forfeit  
Wm Sargent's b or br f. Paid forfeit

#### TROTTING AT PORTLAND, ME.

Presquevoir Park, Portland, Me, Aug 29, 1876.—Purse \$500, for 2:30 class; \$300 to first, 125 to second, 75 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

O W Bracnett's b g Plymouth 3 3 1 4 1 1  
Rock 3 3 1 4 1 1  
John Ayer's b g Ayer 2 1 2 1 3 2  
E R Woodman's b s Knox Boy 1 2 3 2 3 3  
J W McDuffie's b s King William 4 4 3 4 4 4  
Time—2:33, 2:33, 2:34, 2:40.

Same Day.—Purse \$150, for five-year olds; \$100 to first, 50 to second, 20 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

S C Benson's blk s Tom B Patchen 1 1 1  
Colcord & Burrill's b s Somerset Knox 2 2 2  
Warren & Clark's b m Gilbreth Maid dis  
John Shaw's blk s Shaw's Knox dis  
Time—2:34, 2:32, 2:34.

Aug 30.—Race for horses that never beat 2:38, for a purse of \$250; \$150 to first, 75 to second, 25 to third; best 3 in 5, in harness.

J B P Wheeling's gr g Honest Farmer 3 1 1 2 2 1  
E L Norcross' b s Bay Fearnought 1 5 4 3 1 2  
E B Woodman's blk g Forest King 5 3 3 1 4 2  
S W Berry's b s Emery Fearnought 2 2 5 4 3 0  
Joseph Lovett's gr g Narrow Gauge 4 4 5 5 5 0  
Time—2:39, 2:36, 2:38, 2:39.

Same Day.—Purse \$150, for four-year olds; \$100 to first, 50 to second, 20 to third.

H A Webb's ch s Kiverton Knox 1 1 1  
S R Brigham's Capitola 3 2 2  
O W Brackett's b m Nellie H 2 3 4  
W R Nutter's b m Nellie H 2 3 4

L F De Land's b g Rattler 7 5 4 4  
Mr Springer's b m Summit Girl 6 6 Cdr  
O Bort's blk m Blacksmith Maid 5 7 dr  
Time—2:44, 2:43, 2:44, 2:44.

Same Day—Purse \$250; 2:35 class.  
C W Bliven's ch s Factory Boy 1 1 1  
L Ostram's ch g Henry K 2 2 4  
J Wood's b g Henry 3 3 3  
I Whiffin's m g Roan Jack 5 4 3  
C Foley's b g Tom Ryan 4 5 5  
Time—2:35, 2:36, 2:36.

Aug. 30.—Purse \$175; 2:50 class.  
A Hall's b g Toronto Chief, Jr 7 7 4 6 1 1 1  
P Hoskins' br g King Charlie 1 1 3 5 4 3 2  
W L Barber's b g Woodcock 2 2 1 3 3 4 4  
L V C Hess' b s Walkill 4 6 7 1 2 2 3  
A Hall's b m Kit Holten 3 8 3 2 5 ro  
S D Smith's b g Whirlwind 5 4 6 4 dr  
H T Frisbie's ch s Capt Jacks 8 5 2 ro  
J H Shoemaker's b g Farmer Bill 6 8 5 dr  
J W Thonnis' br g Farmer Boy 9 9 dr  
Time—2:41, 2:40, 2:46, 2:43, 2:45, 2:40, 2:44.

Same Day—Purse \$200; 2:40 class.  
R T McGeer's b g Bay Billy 1 1 1  
J Wood's b g Henry 2 2 2  
Walrath & Downer's b m Maggie Mitchell 3 3 3  
L Ostram's b g Billy 4 4 4  
Time—2:31, 2:37, 2:38.

Same Day—Purse \$75, running; mile heats, 2 in 3.  
J Sadler's ch m Lottie 1 1  
J N Stoddard's b g Bay Frank 0 0  
A Hall's br m Nellie 0 0  
H Murray's br g Brown Dick 0 0  
G Ayres' gr g Gray Rob 0 0  
E Bond's ch g Dolphin 0 0  
Time—1:55, 1:54.

Aug 31.—Purse \$200; 2:45 class.  
A Hall's b s Toronto Chief Jr 1 1 1  
D L Franco's br g Maggie Moose 3 2 3  
E C Bettinger's b m Harry's Daughter 4 3 2  
P Haskins' br g King Charlie 2 dr  
Time—2:42, 2:41, 2:44.

Same Day—Purse \$300; 2:30 class.  
R T McGeer's b g Bay Billy 1 1 1  
J Wood's b g Henry 2 3 2  
C Foley's b g Tom Ryan 3 2 3  
A J Fock's b g George F Smith dis  
I Whiffin's m g Roan Jack dis  
Time—2:31, 2:36, 2:34.

#### RUNNING AND TROTTING AT MANISTEE, MICH.

MANISTEE, Mich, Aug 15.—Purse \$—, for 2:34 class; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
J N Cornell's br m Sue Monday 1 3 4 4 4 1 1  
I Morrow's b g General McArthur 3 1 1 3 3 2 2  
Walker & Co's b g Mambriño Walker 2 4 3 1 1 2 3  
J W Pearce's br g Surprise 4 3 2 2 2 r o  
Time—2:42, 2:41, 2:43, 2:42, 2:44, 2:37, 2:49.

Same Day.—Purse \$—; half-mile heats; catch weights.  
J J Gwark's ch g Modoc, by Mug-  
gins, dam Sarabiuo 2 2 3 1 1 1  
L P Milligan's b s Roscommon, by  
Rivaler 3 1 2 2 2 2  
J McCormick's b m Lady M, by  
Sendennis 4 4 1 3 3 3  
J N Cornell's ch m Misdeal, by Gil-  
roy, dam Mishap 1 3 dr  
Time—5:2, 5:2, 5:3, 5:1, 5:2, 5:2.

Aug 16.—Purse \$—, free for all; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
J Williams' b m Tom Britton 1 2 1 1

\*S Wright's ch g Sorrel Tom 6 6 2 1 2 1 1  
W H Doole's br g Rip Rap 1 4 1 3 5 2 2  
W M Hughes' blk g Billy Britton 2 1 6 3 4 4  
T R Kline's ch g Honest Mack 8 8 4 1 3 3  
T W Martin's ch g Phil Dougher 4 2 7 8 6 ro  
W MacGougle's gr g Gray Saloon 7 5 3 7 4 ro  
W A Ogden's b m Mary Jane 5 7 7 6 7 ro  
C H Smit's b g Billy Watson 3 8 4 dr  
Time—2:38, 2:38, 2:37, 2:35, 2:35, 2:36, 2:36.

\*Five heats trotted on the 5th.  
Same Day—Third Race—Purse \$100; \$100 to first, \$50 to second—mile heats.  
W P Birch's b s Waterec 1 1  
A R Redsecker's b m Dibble Lind 2 3  
W S Kennedy's b m Carrie Mac 3 3  
Time—1:52, 1:53.

#### TROTTING AT ALBANY, N. Y.

ISLAND PARK COURSE, ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 5.—Country Gentleman Stakes, for three-year-olds, at \$150 each, play or pay; mile and repeat, in harness.

C Backman's b c Oberon, by Messenger  
Duroc, dam Kitty Harker, by Ethan Allen 1 1  
D Baird's b f Helene, by Hambletonian  
Prince, dam's pedigree unknown 2 2  
G C Hitchcock's b f Highland Win, by Ash-  
land, dam Young Highland Maid 3 8  
Time—2:48, 2:47.

#### TROTTING AT ROCHESTER, N. Y.

ROCHESTER DRIVING PARK, August 3, 1876.—Purse \$175, for horses that have never beaten 3:00; \$100 to first, 50 to second, 25 to third.

W H Higgin's s m Lorena 5 1 1 1  
H Diefendorf's b g Billy 2 2 2 2  
M O Ludlam's b g Newark Boy 3 3 3 8  
Wyrall & Rowe's ch g Reform 1 dis  
L Harris' ch g Sam 4 dis  
Fred Wagner's b g John Bright dr  
Time—2:45, 2:42, 2:46, 2:44.

Same Day.—For horses that have never beaten 2:40, purse \$210, \$100 to first, 75 to second, 35 to third.  
L Whiteford's b s William W 1 2 1 2 1  
Dennis Mahoney's br g Star 2 1 2 1 2  
W Vandobogert's blk s Henry Clay 3 3 3 3 dr  
T A Mann's ch m Minnie Allen 4 4 dis  
Time—2:47, 2:42, 2:35, 2:41.

#### SALE OF RACE HORSES.

Messrs. Barker & Son, of Thirti-ninth street and Broadway, New York, sold at public auction, Saturday, at their mart, part of the racing stable of Mr. Pierre Lorillard, consisting of the following animals.

Appended is also the price brought: Chestnut brood mare Daisey Derby, \$85, A. M. Van Brunt; bay colt Baronet, three years old, full brother to Mate, \$105, A. M. Burton (this colt cost originally \$8,000); Lord Carlsle, bay gelding, three years old, \$110, A. M. Burton; chestnut gelding Rancoon, two years old, \$120, G. Langstaff; bay gelding Benny Field, two years old, A. Wilson, \$110; Orleans chestnut gelding, two years old, A. V. Conover, \$250; bay gelding Zottilla, two years old, A. P. Green, \$140; chestnut gelding Yearling, Falkland Penny, \$45; chestnut Gelding yearling Tempet, G. Langstaff, \$105. The attendance of sports was

### The Ring.

#### A FISTIC PROPOSITION.

To the Editor of the Sporting Times:

SIR,—It has been a question hitherto in sporting circles here as to which of the two would prove the best at a glove fight—Scholes or Charley McDonald. It is well known that McDonald offered recently to fight Scholes for \$500 or \$1000, but the challenge was promptly declined by the latter, who will not on any consideration be tempted into the prize ring, not because he for a moment feels doubtful of the issue were such a thing to take place, but because he has no wish to be mixed up in any such unlawful proceeding. At the same time Scholes is ready to meet McDonald at a glove fight, and intimated this willingness some time ago to McDonald in public. Now what I should like to suggest through your columns is this: Let Scholes and McDonald make a match with gloves, and have a regular referee, judges, time and place, &c., &c., and let the prize be a cup or piece of plate to be subscribed for equally by the friends of both parties. If anything should come of this suggestion, I think I can promise the funds to be forthcoming on the part of Scholes' friends who, like myself, see nothing lowering or degrading in a match of this sort, and who would like to see the question fairly settled.

I am, sir, &c.,

STRAIGHT FROM THE SHOULDER.

#### ALLEN PUMMELS GOSS BUT LOSES THE FIGHT.

The Allen-Goss fight took place near Covington, Ky., Thursday last. The first blood was declared for Allen. After several rounds had been fought the Covington Militia put in an appearance and the fight was stopped. At 10:45 a.m. a new ring was formed at another point and the fight resumed. It is said to have been a most brutal affair. In the 21st round Goss was struck by Allen while on his knees and a foul claimed and allowed. The fight ended at 11:50 and was declared in favor of Goss. Allen shows but little punishment, but Goss is terribly beaten. Allen was arrested on his arrival at Newport, Ky., and lodged in jail.

### The Trigger.

On Friday two teams of pigeon shots contested a match at Martin's Hotel, Eden, for a supper, to be paid for by the losing party. One team was captained by John Hower, and the other by Thos. Holliday. The following is the score, which shows that Capt. Hower's team won by four birds:—

Capt. John Hower	01011010—4
Thos. Holliday	10100111—5
John Martin	00110111—5
John Falding	11011011—4