

POP GEERS' DAY AT POUGHKEEPSIE MEET

Drove Four of Five Winners
on Thursday — The
Summary.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Aug. 21.—Edward Ows took the lion's share of honors at the second day of the Grand circuit meet, driving four of the five winners on the program, and in one of his victories, piloting Goidle Todd to a clean-cut straight heat triumph over Frank Dewey and Sanardo. The veteran reinsman accounted for "The Vassar" 2:10 and for three-year-olds, which he won with Molly Knight, and two breeders' yearlings, the two-year-old and three-year-old, Duette and Wili Wild were the winners.

Valter E. Cox drove McGregor the Great to a straight heat win in the other 2000 event. The Poughkeepsie, with "Good Name" second and Joseph Guy third, Marion Dale, the Murphy entry, showed badly, and was never a contender.

His class trotting, "The Poughkeepsie" won \$2000, two in three. McGregor the Great, b.h., by Peter the Great (Cox) 1 1
"Good Name" (Dewey) 2 2
Joseph Guy (Hyde) 3 3
Nedra, b.m. (Corwin) 4 4
Bessie Del. b.m. (Corwin) 5 5
Mariondale, Zomitte and Anna M.oney also started.

Time 2:07 1/2, 2:06.
2000 pacing, The Vassar, purse \$3000, two in three.
Goidle Todd, b.m., by Tod Mac (Geers) 1 1
Sardard, b.m. (Cox) 2 2
Frank Dewey (Cox) 3 3
Irish Voter, b.g. (Doolan) 4 4
Harper, b.g. (Garrison) 5 5
Time 2:02, 2:02 1/2.
Two-year-old trotting, the breeders' club value \$500, two in three.
Wili Wild, b.g., by Anvil (Geers) 1 1
Dorcas (Fleming) 2 2
Time 2:04 1/2, 2:03 1/2.
Two-year-old trotting, the breeders' club value \$500, 2 in 3.
Duette, b.f., by Elwah (Geers) 1 1
Day Star, b.c. (Cox) 2 2
Lily Mossart, b.f. (Tallman) 3 3
Best Time 2:12.
Six class trotting, The Liberty, purse \$1000.
Molly Knight, b.m., by General Wally (Geers) 1 1
Wally (Geers) 2 2
Lily Lee (McDonald) 3 3
Norman Dillon (Gregory) 4 4
Brother Peter (Thomas) 5 5
King Stout (Stout) 6 6
Electron Dillon, Peter Worth, Eliza Dillon, Grace Drake, Liberty Todd, Dark Flower and Bourbon Watts also started.
Best time, 2:07 1/2.
Best 2:15 pace—Anna Pratt, b.m., by King Bellini (Phillips), won. Time 2:15 1/2.
Best 2:20 trotting—Selka, ch.m., by Peter The Great (Fleming), won. Time 2:07 1/2.

TOMORROW'S CARD AT THE EXHIBITION

Opening Day of Most Elaborate
Harness Horse Meet
in Years.

Contrary to the opinion of many, the Canadian National Exhibition, officially opened to the public tomorrow, Sunday, Aug. 22, with every department complete, including the midwinter hippodrome performance. The feature event will be the horse racing on the splendid, fast and beautiful half-mile track in front of the grand stands. The program for Saturday contains three well filled races, the 2:30 trot, 2:15 pace, and the 2:00 race, and precisely at 3 p.m. the racing officials for the first time in many years will enter the judge's stand and in fifteen minutes the midwinter J. J. Burns will assemble the 2:30 trotters for the initial heat of the most elaborate harness horse meet at the exhibition. Of course there will be no betting.

As announced in The World last Saturday, the 2:15 trot and the three-year-old race, filled to fill and were recognized as a satisfactory response has since been made by the horsemen and those who are to be raced on Tuesday and Monday respectively. Four are named in the former, many (2:17 1/2), Ingara (2:18 1/2), Nannie Extellion, and Todd McGregor (2:19). In the colt race, six will score for the world, Leonard S., Jim Fletcher, Jim Gano, Bob Bin, Royal Victor and The Substance.

The following are entered in tomorrow's events:
2:30 trot, purse \$600—Miss Clara Todd, The Saxon, Harry Rose, Bernard McKimney, Nannie Extellion, Mac McKimney, Helena Mingen.
2:15 pace, purse \$600—Billy Patch, Opera Boy, Bob Adell, Helena Bingen, Will Maid, Bob, Frank M., Lady of the Lake, Darkey Hal, Jr., Steve Ayres, The Baronet.
2:00 race, purse \$600—Mansfield, Jack Powers, Lady Abbotsford, Royal Dunlop, Sid H., Adrian Pointer, Charlie Fadden, Dan Alger, Steve Ayres, Shipstons Belle.

It is the ambition of the horsemen to have as many present on this day as possible, as since horse racing is the premier attraction every individual who thrives the grand stands will be most to the invigorating pastime. From a standpoint it will also compare favorably with any other day, having the largest fields and entrants that have been raced extensively all season.

LACROSSE GOSSIP.
The all-important match between Maitlands and Beaches to decide the winner of the eastern district in the senior series of the O.A.A.A. will be staged at Varsity Stadium on Monday afternoon at 3:15 sharp. This is the first occasion upon which a final or semi-final lacrosse game has been played at the stadium and those behind the venture are anxious to see whether the centrally located grounds are what is needed to bring the game back into popularity.

The World's Selections BY CENTAUR

SARATOGA.
FIRST RACE—War Rocket, Clear Gona, Capel Sweepster.
SECOND RACE—Recount, Slippery Elm, Thistleton.
THIRD RACE—Believe Me Girls, Audacious, Dr. Johnson.
FOURTH RACE—Valor, Spur, Crank.
FIFTH RACE—Thunderbird, Hurry, Tache O'Gaunt.
SIXTH RACE—Beaming Beauty, Swift, Brynmar.

TODAY'S ENTRIES

AT SARATOGA.

Saratoga, N.Y., Aug. 21.—Entries for Friday are:
FIRST RACE—For 3-year-olds and up, conditions, one mile.
Clean Gona 112 War Drive 112
The Cook 113 Senator Crow 113
Rapid Day 112 Carpet Sweeper 112
War Rocket 112 Hotfoot 112
War Flame 107 Sea Rock 113
Bridgman 112
SECOND RACE—The Pittsford selling handicap, for 3-year-olds and up, one mile.
Wop Trap 116 Warsaw 113
Recount 117 Matinee Idol 117
Freightwin 109 Thistleton 108
Sash 109 Slippery Elm 108
THIRD RACE—Conditions, for 3-year-olds and up, six furlongs.
Aseuma 117 Believe Me Girls 107
Wardrive 104 Dr. Johnson 120
Right Angle 107 Doleful 117
Ultimatum 107 Abadane 114
Troilus 123 Star Realm 104
Audacious 106 Fritie 106
Gloomy Gus 120 Claques 114
Rifle 114 Knot 99
Mortimer 97 Arrah Go On 111
Day Due 104
FOURTH RACE—The Plattsburg handicap, for 3-year-olds and up, one mile.
Gloomy Gus 100 Thunderclap 110
Brynmair 97 Crank 111
Jack Stuart 103 Valor 124
Royce Rods 110 The Porter 125
Courtship 98 Spur 119
Crystal Ford 97
SIXTH RACE—For maiden fillies, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs.
Princess Mary 117 Bel'Ve Me Girls 107
Repeater 110 Hampden 110
Laphetto 107 Dame 107
Fait Accompli 107 Starry Belle 102
Bliff Bang 110 Tache O'Gaunt 107
Sandover II 110 Hurry Up 110
Emerlita 102 Muck Orange 110
Midian 109 Thunderbird 102
SIXTH RACE—For maiden fillies, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs.
Sweet Music 114 Lady Wood 114
May Alley 114 Beaming Beauty 114
Swirl 114 Titania 114
Mile Vivian 114
Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather clear; track good.

Outsider is Victor In Saratoga Feature

Saratoga, N.Y., Aug. 21.—The races here today resulted as follows:

FIRST RACE—For maidens, 3-year-olds and up, purse \$1,221; one mile.
1. Dot's Best, 107 (Myers), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, 4 to 1.
2. G. King, 115 (Sneidman), 2 to 1, 1 to 1, 1 to 1.
3. Courcelles, Imp., 107 (Ehonor), 12 to 1, 4 to 1, 2 to 1.
Time 1:41 2-5. Musket and Indian Spire also ran.
SECOND RACE—For 3-year-olds and up, claiming, purse \$1,221; one mile.
1. Wiseman, 116 (Connolly), 13 to 5, even, 2 to 1.
2. Gieplner, 107 (Noian), 4 to 1, 7 to 5, 1 to 1.
3. Captain Dodge, 102 1/2 (Rowan), 15 to 1, 8 to 1, 7 to 10.
Time 1:40 2-5. Arravan, Sir William Johnson, Starter, Salvatelle also ran.
THIRD RACE—The Salem, for maidens, 3-year-olds and up, handicap, \$1,521 added; six furlongs.
1. Ormonda, 106 (Ehonor), 6 to 1, 8 to 1, 2 to 1.
2. Fairy Wand, 124 (Kummer), 8 to 1, 2 to 1, out.
3. Chimney Swift, 99 (Woodstock), 10 to 1, 25 to 1, 4 to 1.
Time 1:12 3-5. Bliff Queen and Warlike also ran.
FOURTH RACE—The Schuyerville, guaranteed cash value, \$8,000, for fillies, 3-year-olds; 5 1/2 furlongs.
1. Homely, 107 (Kealey), 5 to 1, 8 to 5, 3 to 1.
2. Constancy, Imp., 127 (Lottua), 4 to 1, 7 to 1, 2 to 1.
3. Miss Jemima 127 (Knapp), 11 to 10, 2 to 1, 1 to 1.
Time 1:06 2-5. Masked Dancer, Flying Flower, Wedding Cake and Richochet also ran.
FIFTH RACE—The Galway, for 3-year-olds and up, handicap, selling, \$1,521 added; one mile and a quarter.
1. African Arrow, Imp., 107 (Sanda), 11 to 5, 7 to 10, even.
2. Tailor Maid, 100 (Pator), 9 to 5, 3 to 1, out.
3. Jim Dinney, 105 (Kummer), 8 to 1, 2 to 1, out.
Time 2:09 1-5. Snapdragon II, also ran.
SIXTH RACE—For 3-year-olds, purse \$1,221; five and a half furlongs.
1. Beck and Call, 101 (Johnson), 5 to 1, 2 to 1, even.
2. Sandy Seal, 107 (Rice), 15 to 5, 7 to 1, 3 to 1.
3. Captain Herster, 112 (Connolly), 30 to 1, 12 to 1, 6 to 1.
Time 1:07 2-5. Shot On, Starcourt, Precious Pearl, His Choice, Ira Wilson, and Anna Gallup also ran.

GRAND ARMY BOUTS.

A special boxing card has been arranged by the Grand Army of Canada for next Tuesday night at the Arena. There will be two main bouts, each of ten rounds. The first will bring together Bobby Ebor of Hamilton and Fighting Dick Atkins of Toronto at 118 pounds. Soldier Jones and Jack (Twin) Sullivan, the Buffalo veteran heavyweights, will meet in the other ten-rounder. Three other bouts are carded: Lassar v. Jack McCracken; Irish Kennedy of Hamilton v. Ketchum of Buffalo, and Young Joyce of Toronto v. Kid Herman of Hamilton. These will go over the six-round route.

HIGH WINDS AFFECT O.R.A. MARKSMEN

Lieut. E. Marks of 43rd.
D. C. O. R., Wins Tait-
Brassey Match.

The weather conditions on the third day of the O. R. A. matches left much to be desired, a high wind and driving rain developing in the morning and continuing until the middle of the afternoon. Throaty made straight shooting extremely difficult and, under the circumstances, some remarkable scores were made. The men from Ottawa, particularly distinguishing themselves. Later in the afternoon, the weather cleared, and some good scores were registered at 500 yards in the Tait-Brassey match. Today, the last of the meet, a band will be in attendance, and competitors are invited to bring their ladies to the ranges to witness the final stages of the shoot. The most difficult range is admittedly the 500-yard range, the bulls-eye being very small (6 in. in diameter), in proportion to the distance. Only one man has succeeded in scoring the possible at this range in the extra series match, namely, Pte. R. Edmond, of the 12th York Regiment, the second best score to date being best 5 made by Capt. Greve of Guelph. During the day, the Tait-Brassey match, 7 shots at 200, 300 and 500 yards, was completed, and the Lieutenant-governor's match commenced at 500 yards. Today will see the completion of the latter match, and the Mackenzie and Oeler matches will also be shot off, finishing the program.

The Tait-Brassey match was won by Lieut. E. Marks, of the 43rd D.C.O.R., Ottawa, with the splendid score of 104 points, out of a possible 105. Lieutenant Marks went overseas with the 2nd Contingent, and since his return has been shooting consistently well in practice. He was closely followed by Pte. G. W. Russell, G.G.F.G., also of Ottawa, his score of 104 being scarcely less meritorious than that of the winner. Pte. Russell is also a returned veteran, and one of the best known riflemen in Canada. He has been to Blesley six times and took sixth place one year in the King's prize. The tie was broken according to O. R. A. rules. Lieut. Marks dropping his point at an earlier stage in the match, giving him a slight advantage in the feature of the matches so far has been the success of the returned men who have taken several first and second prizes.

Tait-Brassey Match.
(7 shots at 200, 300 and 500 yards for Militia and C.E.F. only.)
Lieut. E. Marks, C.E.F. 104
Sgt. G. W. Russell, G.G.F.G. 104
Pte. W. A. Brodie, 12th 102
Sgt. M. H. Lee, 7th 102
Sgt. W. Haskins, 48th H. 101
Lt. W. Dymond, C. Sefm. 101
Bugler R. Williams, Q.O.R. 101
Sgt. H. Whitcomb, 10th 101
Q.M.S. Davidson, 48th H. 101
Sgt. W. Rocks, Q.O.R. 100
Sgt. W. Cook, Q.O.R. 100
Pte. G. W. Bull, Q.O.R. 100
Capt. W. E. Swain, 14th 100
S. S. J. Pittsford, 14th 100
Pte. V. Gault, 43rd 100
Pte. R. J. Resser, 12th York 100

AUSTRALIAN PAIR DEFAULT DOUBLES

Patterson Strains His Arm—
Brooks Wins in the
Singles.

Southampton, N.Y., Aug. 21.—The singles and doubles in the tennis tournament here drew down to the semi-finals today.
In the singles, C. S. Garland, Jr., the Pittsburgh star, and L. E. Mahan are coupled in the first round. The Australian section are Norman E. Brooks, the Australian, and Willis Davis, the Californian. Brooks, in his match today, out-generaled Dean Mathey, the former Princeton champion, and won, 6-4, 6-1. Mathey tried to outplay his opponent at his best, but he lacked steadiness and the necessary speed. Garland had a hard third set game with Leonard Beckman, winning at 6-3, 2-6, 2-7.
Patterson and Norman E. Brooks returned to the doubles when within a stroke of beating F. F. Deersham and Maj. E. B. Barran. The official score was 3-5, 6-7, defaulted. Patterson said that his arm is strained and that it is impossible for him to continue in the doubles. He defaulted in the singles. Patterson expected he had injured his arm by over-exertion during the previous championship doubles. His arm is stiff, and he is anxious to get in trim for the tournament next week.
Tilden and Garland, Randolph Lycett and R. V. Thomas, the Australians, and B. Doyle and Morgan were pairs that came thru to the doubles' semi-finals.

Motor Boat Fiends to Race for Big Gold Cups

These motor boat fiends sure look to have a real program this Exhibition time and the enthusiasm has gotten right up to boiling point. There are four entries in for the big Arab II, of Buffalo, Leopard III, and Miss Toronto representing Toronto Motor Boat Club and now Baby Dora with a great big aeroplane motor has taken up the good work and will battle it out with the other flyers. Detroit III's entry is not yet in but it is reported that her owner took a short peep at the city yesterday and they think that if she comes over, it is all they will have to do to carry away the big chunk of solid gold that represents the international championship. The Toronto owners will be tickled to see them try, and while none of them will go into the protest class, they insist on smiling and refusing to be scared a little bit.

There will be at least four big runabouts in the contest for the open challenge trophy for displacement boats traveling over thirty miles per hour and a flock of 20 to 25 millers will fight it out for the Sylvester and Schnauer silverware.

From the shore all these racers look to be just a joy ride for those in them, but

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ONE-DAY TOURNEY FOR KITCHENER

Kitchener, Ont., Aug. 21.—A one-day bowling tournament will be held under the auspices of the Kitchener Bowling Club on Friday, the first draw being fixed at 9:15 o'clock and the second at 10:45. The draws are as follows: N. Kitchener vs. Preston No. 1; G. M. Fisher, Mutual Life, vs. Brantford Heat; No. 1; W. Clegburn, Elmira, vs. J. Dahmer, Waterloo; Oak No. 1 vs. L. A. Dahmer, Dom. Tire; J. P. Seely, Kitchener, vs. A. Hagey, Brantford; Dufferin; J. B. Hoover, Guelph, vs. Hespeler No. 2; Galt No. 2 vs. J. Cook, Kitchener; N. B. Bowley, Kitchener vs. J. H. Meyer, New Hamburg; Arr vs. Hespeler No. 2.
Second draw at 10:45 a.m.—J. Cunningham, Waterloo, vs. Preston No. 2; Paris No. 1 vs. Brantford Pastimes; E. G. Stuebner, Kitchener, vs. Dr. F. A. Walters, Forest; Hespeler No. 1 vs. Elora; H. A. Hagen, Kitchener, vs. Galt No. 2; J. DeLuise, Waterloo, vs. Brantford Heat; No. 2; W. Cairnes, Dom. Tire, vs. R. G. Hall, Plattsburg; G. Bray, Kitchener, vs. St. George; Paris No. 2 vs. S. H. Gandier, Guelph.

SET WORLD RECORD.

Wichita, Kansas, Aug. 21.—Jos Wilhoit, outfielder of the local Western League club, and who will go to the Boston Americans next month, yesterday ended his batting streak, in which he set a new world record, by hitting safely in sixty-nine consecutive games. The former record of forty-five consecutive games was made by Jack Neas, Oakland, Cal., in 1915.
Wilhoit, who formerly played with the Boston Nationals and the New York Giants, in the sixty-nine contests prior to today, was at bat 267 times, and secured 161 hits. His percentage was .506. He obtained five home runs, eight triples, twenty-three doubles and one hundred and fifteen singles.

Three Tied for Fourth Place in National League

New York, Aug. 21.—The five best in each of the two major leagues after today's games are as follows:
National League
G. A. B. R. H. Ave.
Jacobson 87 318 55 119 .316
Gravath 104 395 87 129 .227
Roush 103 372 45 115 .269
Z. Wheat 108 428 120 180 .286
Formanby 104 386 50 128 .306
McFerry 77 252 30 77 .306
American League
G. A. B. R. H. Ave.
Cobb 91 360 52 138 .278
Jacobson 87 318 55 119 .316
Sailer 105 408 78 143 .251
Veatch 105 393 52 130 .284
Fickelguth 87 319 72 108 .229

BELGIUM GRANTS INCREASES.

Brussels, Aug. 20.—It was announced in the senate today that a settlement has been reached between the government and the railway, postal and telegraph operatives, whose demand for a minimum wage of eight francs daily was granted.

HOLDING THE SMUGGLERS

Berlin, Aug. 21.—The mystery surrounding the identity of the individuals involved in an attempt to smuggle 20,000,000 marks across the German-Swiss frontier is approaching solution, according to private reports from Weimar. Police authorities claim to have under arrest or detention all persons engaged in the conspiracy.