With the Trotters

Berth Booths Remarkable Performance at Orangeville.

Results of Trotting Contests at Windsor and Columbus.

A Close Game Between Strathroy and Marine City.

Off Day in the Canadian League—Running Races, Cycling and Other Sporting News.

BASEBALL.

THE AMATEURS.

A combination of Wingham and Teeswater baseball clubs played in Blyth on Wednesday. Score: Combination 10, Blyth 12.

In a baseball game at Petrolia on Wednesday, Woodstock won. Score: Woodstock 11, Petrolia 1.

TWO ACCOUNTS OF ONE GAME.

Marine City, Mich., Aug. 5.—Marine City club defeated the Strathroy team Wednesday in an interesting game.

Score:		R.	H.	E.
Marine City	1 0 2 0 3 0 1 0 0—	7	12	6
Strathroy	2 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 1—	6	7	5

Batteries—Marine City, Fee and Bennett; Strathroy, Thompson and McBeth.

Strathroy, Aug. 5.—Strathroy visited Marine City Wednesday and played a splendid game there, the score being 6 to 6. The game ended in a dispute, Marine City refusing to play the tenth inning. The game was fast and furious throughout, many beautiful plays being made on both sides. Fee, of Marine City, pitched well, but was wild. McIntosh and Stevenson each made a beautiful running catch. The features of the game were McBeth's terrific slugging, Perry's batting and fielding, and Brown and Bower's batting, the two latter being Marine City men. The score:

		R.	H.	E.
Strathroy	2 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 1—	6	6	2
Marine City	1 0 2 0 2 0 1 0 0—	6	10	4

EASTERN LEAGUE—THURSDAY.

Toronto 10, Syracuse 1.
Ottawa 2, Providence 3.
Buffalo 7, Springfield 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE — THURSDAY.

Cincinnati 5, New York 6.
Second game — Cincinnati 5, New York 5.
St. Louis 8, Brooklyn 7.
Chicago 0, Baltimore 5.
Second game—Chicago 3, Baltimore 1.
Louisville 11, Boston 4.
Second game—Louisville 4, Boston 11.
Philadelphia 1, Cleveland 4.
Second game—Philadelphia 3, Cleveland 8.

A GOOD UMPIRE.

George F. Daley, of Detroit, may officiate in the Canadian League for the balance of the season. Today he will umpire the game between St. Thomas and London, and Secretary Cal. Davis, of Hamilton, will meet him here and endeavor to make terms with him for his services. An offer was recently made to Daley and refused, as the salary named was not high enough. It is a well-known fact that Davis is anxious to get Daley on the staff, as his work in the old league was perfectly satisfactory to all the teams. Lovers of the game here would be delighted to see Daley again on the diamond.

FLYS.

St. Thomas Journal: As stated would be done yesterday, the receipts were garnisheed by Mr. D. B. S. Crothers, on behalf of George Black, for a debt of $80 claimed to be due him by the Chatham baseball directors. The Chatham association is not incorporated.

On Tuesday afternoon, the Simcoe baseball team went to Dover and did battle with the Dover team. The game of seven innings resulted in a tie, 13 to 13.

"Lacrosse and cricket in Canada are as dead as any old pitching arm, and we will live to see the day when Canada will maintain a league second to the major league," says Umpire Bob Emslie.

Hamilton Herald jots: Umpire Black is certainly earning his money.—The pennant race is becoming too close for comfort.—Jimmy Dean should be supplied with a cast-iron uniform.—Georgie Bradford's great performance at Guelph must have gone to his head.

The Londons will play an exhibition game at Petrolea Aug. 9 and at Sarnia Aug. 16.

Mr. D. B. S. Crothers, acting for George Black, ex-manager of the Saginaw baseball club, ex-manager of the Chatham ball club, and now a Canadian League umpire, garnisheed Chatham's share of the receipts of yesterday's game at Atlantic Park, to satisfy a claim for money alleged to be due him, which Black makes against the Chatham Association.

There will be a game on Saturday afternoon between the Belmont nine and the Knox Church baseball team, of South London.

Catcher McGamwell, of the Chathams, has been farmed to Petrolea.

TRIGGER.

MELROSE RIFLE CLUB.

The Melrose Rifle Club shot Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 3, for the special prizes. It was decided by the committee to give cash prizes of $2 for first place, $1 50 for second and $1 for third, in both the 100 yards and 200 yards ranges. The capital prize being won by E. J. Shaw the last day excluded him from competing in the special prizes, and according to the club rules his score is not counted. Following were the points scored by each:

100 yards off hand.

Jas. Harrison	8	10	3	8	6—35
Abe Steinhoff	9	6	3	10	6—34
Jas. H. Challoner	5	9	6	9	3—32
E. J. Shaw	8	5	6	9	4—32
Jas. A. Clare	6	5	5	4	10—30
Jas. Ferguson	4	2	8	8	7—29
Franklin Harrison	6	4	5	7	7—29
John Oliver	4	2	9	9	5—29
John Steel	5	7	5	7	3—27
John K. Morris	6	5	6	6	2—26
R. Herrington	7	7	5	3	2—24
Dan. Steinhoff	6	4	5	3	5—23
Gardner Tuckey	1	7	5	5	4—22
Chas. Harrison	4	2	3	3	5—19

200 yards on rest.

E. J. Shaw	4	6	10	7	9—36
Jas. A. Clare	3	7	7	10	7—34
Jas. H. Challoner	5	5	9	7	5—31
Jas. Harrison	6	6	6	6	6—30
Dan Steinhoff	4	5	7	7	6—29
John Steel	6	4	7	8	4—29
Gardner Tuckey	8	7	3	5	3—26
Chas. Harrison	2	6	6	6	6—26
John K. Morris	2	3	6	8	6—25
Franklin Harrison	7	3	5	5	5—25
Abe Steinoff	4	3	5	7	5—24
Jas. Ferguson	6	2	3	4	4—19
R. Herrington	3	0	0	5	7—15
John Oliver	3	4	1	4	2—14

Totals.

E. J. Shaw	63
Jas. Harrison	65
Jas. A. Clare	64
Jas. H. Challoner	63
Abe Steinhoff	58
John Steel	56
Franklin Harrison	54
Dan Steinhoff	52
John K. Morris	51
Jas. Ferguson	48
Gardner Tuckey	48
Chas. Harrison	45
John Oliver	43
R. Herrington	39

TURF.

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 5.—Uhler was the winning favorite at the fair ground yesterday. Summaries:

First race, for 2-year-old maidens, 5 furlongs—Uhler, 1; Sam Lazarus, 2; Albert Baldwin, Sr., 3. Time, 1:07¼.

Second race, 7½ furlongs—Lind, 1; Lord Neville, 2; Judge Steadman, 3; Rebel Jack, 4. Time, 1:39¼.

Third race, maiden 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Leo Straus, 1; Lafayette, 2; Lurdan, 3. Time, 1:06¼.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs—First heat—Fire Side, 1; Belle Bramble, 2; Miss Verne, 3. Time, 1:01½. Second heat—Belle Bramble, 1; Fire Side, 2; Laureate, 3. Time, 1:11½. Third heat — Belle Bramble, 1; Fire Side, 2. Time, 1:12¾.

Fifth race, selling, 6 furlongs — Mound City, 1; Aquinas, 2; Randazzo, 3. Time, 1:17¼.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Go To Bed, 1; Can Galop, 2; Tewanda, 3. Time, 1:50¼.

AT SARATOGA.

Saratoga, N.Y., Aug. 5.—The Kensington stakes yesterday was an easy victory for Havoc, who led from start to finish. Summary:

First race, 7 furlongs—Arqueous, 1; Uncle Louis, 2; Larequoise, 3. Time, 1:33.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Mischief Maker, 1; Ree Mitchell, 2; Flavius, 3. Time, 1:11.

Third race, Kensington stakes, 1 mile—Havoc, 1; Damien, 2; Imperator, 3. Time, 1:43¼.

Fourth race, 1 mile and a sixteenth—Candle Black, 1; Athamas, 2; Valid, 3. Time, 1:37 1-5.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Damocles, 1; Bon Ami, 2; South Africa, 3. Time, 1:15¾.

RACING AT WINDSOR.

Windsor, Ont., Aug. 5.—Following are yesterday's racing results:

First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Rose D'Or, 1; Glen Albyn, 2; Nectic Brooks, 3. Time, 1:16¼. Sister Ione, Onezka, Bob Chance, Adrian, Pomery, Sec, Wanga, Sunbonnet also ran.

Second race, ½ mile, selling—Warble, 1; Silver Fish, 2; Thanotopsis, 3. Time, 50½. Sallie J., King's Ransome, Shinedown, Rollin and Minstrelsy also ran.

Third race, 1 mile—Lanky Bob, 1; Red Monk, 2; Tusculum, 3. Time, 1:42. Beau Ideal and Terrapin also ran. Farm Life fell at quarter, but neither boy nor horse hurt.

Fourth race, ½ mile—Flying Bell, 1; Duty, 2; Ergo, 3. Time, 50. Margaret Dumont, Roberta C., Miss K., Mountain Rose, Crinkle, Miss Trix and White Ivy also ran.

Fifth race, ⅛ mile — Homelike, 1; Demosthenes, 2; Judge Quigley, 3. Time, 1:56¾. Frank Joubart, Rey Delman, Skylark and Sir Ebony also ran.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Nellie Baker, 1; Jennie Jane, 2; Midlo, 3. Time, 1:15½. Fanstonis, Miss Emma, Dunbar, Our Bishop, Josephine K., Temora, Mamie Allan also ran.

HARLEM RACES.

Chicago, Aug. 5.—Harlem results yesterday:

First race, 9-16 mile—Risa Masso, 1; Nellie Fonso, 2; Flirtation, 3. Time, 57¼.

Second race, ¾ mile—Geo. H. Ketcham, 1; La Salle, 2; Orderly, 3. Time, 1:16½.

Third race, ⅝ mile—The Kentuckian, 1; Tilla Fonso, 2; Sevens, 3. Time, 1:02¼.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles — Eddie Burke, 1; Dr. Sheppard, 2; Found, 3. Time, 1:47.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—Storm King, 1; Mary Black, 2; St. Alfonses D., 3. Time, 1:14.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Inconstancy, 1; Martin K., 2; Chugnut, 3. Time, 1:49½.

AT BRIGHTON BEACH.

New York, Aug. 5.—The race of the day at Brighton Beach yesterday was the Rising Generation stakes. Maher had the mount on the third choice, Chorus Boy, and to the surprise of everybody he won for the fifth consecutive time. He went out to make the pace and stayed in front to the end. Summary:

First race, 1 mile, selling — Maximo Gomez 1, Tanis 2, Juno 3. Time, 1:42¼.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Lindula 1, Leando 2, Tennith 3. Time, 1:03.

Third race, 6 furlongs, selling—Swamp Angel 1, Bonnie Gem 2, Grace Giltner 3. Time, 1:15.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Leedsville 1, Ben Ronald 2, Jefferson 3. Time, 1:40½.

Fifth race, Rising Generation, 6 furlongs—Chorus Boy 1, Kingdon 2, Frohsinn 3. Time, 1:15¾.

Sixth race, 11-16 mile, selling—Wood Ranger 1, Lansdale 2, Debride 3. Time, 1:49½.

TROTTING AT COLUMBUS.

Columbus, O., Aug. 5.—The track at the Columbus Driving Park was heavy yesterday as a result of recent rains, but very fair time was made. Summary:

2:27 pace, purse $2,000—

Split Silk, ch. m.	1	1	5	1
The Swift, ch. m.	2	2	1	2
Edward O., b. g.	3	3	2	5
Gypsy Red, b. m.	4	4	4	3
Geo. Hoof, b. h.	5	5	3	4
Bay Leaf, b. g.	ds			
Massie Strathmore, b. m.	ds			

Time—2:13¼, 2:14⅛, 2:19¼, 2:18½.

2:24 trot, purse $2,000—

Directum Kelly, b. c.	1	3	1	1
True Chimes, b. g.	3	1	2	3
Clay Fullerton, ch. g.	2	4	2	4
Fred. Lader, b. g.	4	2	4	5
Quarter Staff, br. h.	5	7	5	2
Lurine McGregor, b. m.	6	5	8	8
Nancy King, blk. m.	7	6	7	6
Viola, b. m.	8	8	6	7

Time—2:18, 2:15¼, 2:15½, 2:13½.

2:11 pace, purse $2,000—

Indiana, b. g.	1	1	1
Alloris, b. h.	2	2	10
Fairview, b. g.	4	3	2
Charlie B., blk. g.	3	4	4
Sibella, b. m.	10	5	3
Newton, br. h.	7	8	5
Oddity, ch. h.	5	10	9
Luty Wilkes, b. m.	8	6	6
Neeta W., c. m.	6	7	8
Pilot Medium, Jr., b. h.	9	9	7
Engerita, b. m.	ds		

Time—2:11¼, 2:10¼, 2:12¼.

BRIGHTON RACES.

London, Aug. 5.—At the third day's racing of the Brighton August meeting yesterday, Mr. C. Morbey's chestnut gelding Laban won the Cliftonville plate. Manatee was second and Eastern Light third.

AT ORANGEVILLE.

The second day's races at Orangeville Wednesday had the best attendance. Time made was slow, owing to a very strong wind blowing down the stretch. Summary:

First race, 2:24 trot or 2:27 pace:

Chimes, b. g., Thos. Brownridge, Brampton	1	1	
Texas Minnie, b. m., C. K. Pollakowsky, Mitchell	3	2	3
Hal Forest, b. h., J. E. March, Markdale	4	3	2
Brown Richmond, b. s., John Matheson, Chatsworth	2	4	5
Millie A., b. m., D. O'Mahney, Renton	5	5	4

Time—2:31, 2:30, 2:28¾.

Second race, 2:30 trot and 2:35 pace:

Bert Booth, b. g., Booth & Riddell, Orangeville	1	1	1
Baby Boy, ch. s., Ed Jackson, Bedford Park	2	2	3
Birdie J., blk. m., H. Hulse, Bradford	4	4	2
Wilfrid L., b. g., E. Kerr, Toronto	5	5	4
Esmond, John Coffee, Barrie	3	3	ds

Time—2:34, 2:35½, 2:35.

Third race, 5⅛ mile run; 2 in 3 heats:

Wilfrid Laurier, b. g., F. Smith, Toronto	1	1	
Inna K., ch. m., Thomas Webster, Brampton	2	2	
In Command, Alex. McDonald, Allister	4	3	
Fratello, blk. g., N. A. McLean, Hamilton	3	4	

Time—1:01, 1:02.

CLOSING DAY.

Orangeville, Ont., Aug. 5.—The last day of the Orangeville races was a decided success. Starter Smith announced that Bert Booth had given a performance never before witnessed in Canada, by winning three races in three successive days, each in three straight heats. Arline Wilkes went a mile to beat the track record of 2:22½, and succeeded in lowering it to 2:19¾. Summary:

First race, 2:30 trot or 2:40 pace:

Bert Booth, b. g., Booth & Riddell, Orangeville	1	1	1
Baby Boy, ch. s., Ed Jackson, Bedford Park	2	3	2
Maggie Usher, b. m., S. B. Kaiser Cookstown	3	2	3
Kitty Wilkes, ch. m., P. S. Laurson, Preston	4	4	4
Pearl Stanton, A. D. Maddugha, Smithville	5	5	5
Pollock, b. g., J. Tyson, Guelph	7	6	6
Harry G., ch. g., J. Watson, Listowel	6	7	dr

Time—2:29, 2:29½, 2:31.

Second race, special, named:

Fleet Wings, ch. m., Dr. McCullough, Alliston	5	1	1	1
Chimes, br. g., T. Brownridge, Brampton	1	2	2	4
Grace M., John Palmer, Richmond Hill	3	1	3	5
Dick French, ch. g., Ed Jackson, Bedford Park	2	4	4	3
McCormack, b. s., G. Clark, Acton	4	4	5	4

Time—2:30, 2:28, 2:27½, 2:26½, 2:28.

Third race, hurdle—Rattler, ch. g., C. C. Pierce, Owen Sound, 1; Iconoclast, Jun., b. s., Johnston & Carter, Guelph, 2; Prize, ch. g., Frank Smith, Toronto, 2.

WHEEL.

BROKE THE HALF-MILE RECORD.

At International Park, Washington (D. C.), on Wednesday, Fred Simms broke the world's half-mile handicap, professional record, covering the distance in 56¾ seconds. The former record for this distance was held by Arthur Gardiner, of Chicago, and was 58 2-5 seconds.

FATAL FUN

Young Lad Loses His Life by "Fooling" in an Elevator at Toronto.

Toronto, Aug. 5.—Wednesday afternoon Albert Burke, of 45 Dundas street, fell 25 feet down the shaft of the hoist in the factory of the Canadian Feather and Mattress Company and sustained injuries which caused death in a few hours.

Young Burke was between 13 and 14 years of age, and had been in the employ of the Mattress Company for seven months. In company with another lad named John Cooper, of 3 Brant Place, it was his duty to go down to the cellar on the hoist, and bring up loads of sea grass to be made into mattresses. On Wednesday the two lads descended in the hoist from the third flat, and, when the cellar was reached, loaded the elevator with the hanks of grass. While this was going on, Burke, who was a mischievous lad, waited until Cooper had gone to the other end of the cellar for the last hank, and then started the hoist without him.

When Cooper reached the hoist again Burke had run it up to the second floor, and opening the door there leaned over to peer down at his discomfited companion, yelling in jest to him the while. Nobody saw just what happened, but the next instant, as Cooper was turning back to replace the hank of grass, the body of his companion came down with a crash on the concrete flooring of the cellar, death resulting as stated above.

Scrofula hip disease, salt rheum, dyspepsia and other diseases due to impure blood are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

WESTERN ONTARIO

Aug. 23 will be Hespeler's civic holiday.

The Chatham Oil Company are boring three new wells at Thamesville.

Hay is selling at $1 50 per ton in the field in parts of Wellington county.

Tilsonburg council, after a lively tussle, voted by a majority of two that the firemen keep the billiard table in their rooms.

There are 20 patients registered at the Amasa Wood Hospital, St. Thomas, This is the largest number ever in the hospital at any one time.

Walter Dennis, while at camp at Port Stanley, was robbed of $9 10. He left the money in his clothes in the tent and left the tent unprotected.

Windsor is to have another industry in the manufacture of the "universal fastener," a company for the manufacture of which has just been formed with a capital of $50,000.

Mr. John Cowan, barrister, Sarnia, has been appointed president and director of the Industrial Mortgage and Savings Company, in place of J. F. Lister, who has resigned.

The Bell Telephone Company's new rates have gone into force at St. Thomas. For residential telephones the charge is $20 for one on a line; three on a line $15, and $25 for business places.

An Owen Sound item states that Mrs. McCoy and Milvina Dankert were out picking berries at Mud Lake Friday, and while there saw a wildcat, the sight of which nearly frightened them to death.

Mrs. Grandbois, aged 96 years, died on Wednesday at Chatham. Deceased was one of the oldest inhabitants of Raleigh township, having been born in 1802, and resided in the same vicinity all her life.

The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of accidental drowning at the inquest into the cause of the death at Chatham of young Pigeon, the sailor. The captain of the vessel was exonerated from all blame.

The charitable social at J. N. Britton's, Iona, proved to be in every way a success. The Oneida band furnished grand music and enlivened the evening. Great credit is due to the ladies who got is up. Proceeds $34 40.

Southwold council has passed a resolution calling upon the telegraph companies to move their poles on the road back to the line fences. The poles are said to be in the way when doing road work. Reeve Hunt has been seeking legal advice on the matter.

A Calton correspondent says: Mr. W. Blanchfield's new threshing engine met with a bad accident on Friday. They were proceeding over a narrow road, across a gulley, when something gave way, and the machine was precipitated about 40 feet into the gulley below, and was very badly wrecked.

Dr. Wm. Brady, Tilsonburg, veterinary inspector, has a serious case of tuberculosis on hand on a farm two miles west of Brownsville. Dr. Brady for four days has been applying the test for tuberculosis, and has found that out of a herd of 25 cows, 23 are affected. Dr. Brady has reported the facts to the local government.

Sarnia Canadian: At the last meeting of the township of Sarnia a resolution was passed, praying the Ontario Government to amend or repeal the county councils' act of 1896, and copies sent to the provincial secretary, the speaker, and the leader of the opposition. It is found in practice that the county council was a mistake, though meant by the legislature as a reform.

George Morphy, the boy who had his legs mangled by a freight train at Windsor, was buried on Thursday from St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, six members of No. 2 company, Boys' Brigade, acting as pall-bearers. Robert Henry and Frank Horne, aged 9 and 12 years, two of the boys who were with Morphy when he met with his accident, deny that he was pulled off a car.

Capt. George Shanks, of Windsor, who brought out the fine ferry steamer Pleasure and sailed her up to the close of last season, is lying at the point of death from consumption at his home. He is about 45 years of age, and has commanded the steamer City of Dresden, ferries Hope, Victoria, Ariel, Sappho and Pleasure. Capt. Shanks has always been known as one of the most popular men on the ferries.

Charles Dinnen, a Huron county farmer, was victimized the other day by a smooth tongued fruit tree agent. He got his dinner, for which he was to give Mr. Dinnen a couple of trees. Just to show that the agent took dinner at Mr. Dinnen's place, the latter was asked to sign a document, which turned out to be an order for stock to the amount of $7. Mr. Dinnen refused to take the trees when they came, and now the company is trying to force payment.

In the death of Mr. John T. Taylor, manager of the West Lorne Canning Company, and treasurer of Aldboro, on Wednesday, West Lorne loses one of its foremost citizens. Deceased was about 35 years of age, and was a prominent society man, being secretary of the A., F. and A. M., and Foresters. Besides a widow and three children, his father, Mr. John Taylor, of West Lorne, a sister and brothers survive, Mrs. (Dr.) McKillop, Dutton, and Peter Taylor, of British Columbia.

Nine Presbyterian ministers have been ordained and inducted into charges in the Sarnia presbytery in the past four years. The last of the list is Rev. W. D. Bell, of Corunna. The charge was formed nearly a year ago, consisting of Knox, Mooretown, Corunna and Courtright. No minister has been in charge of this field since the death of Rev. A. Urquhart, and the resignation of Rev. A. Beamer. Mr. Bell is a recent graduate of Knox College. The call was very hearty and unanimous and the people think themselves happy in securing him.

Ingersoll Chronicle: On Saturday at a convention held at Alliance, W. W. Griffey, of Youngstown, formerly of this town, was offered the nomination to congress for the eighteenth district of Ohio, McKinley's old stamping ground, but refused it, owing to his inability to spend the time and money necessary to conduct a campaign. Mr. Griffey is at present editor of a paper at Youngstown, and can do more good, if he cannot make as much money, than in the halls of congress. But we expect to hear something very favorable concerning him later on.

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