RULES AND REGULATIONS

-OF THE-

National Trotting Association,

[TO GOVERN ALL ENGAGEMENTS AND PER-FORMANCES OVER THE ASSOCIATED COURSES.]

ENACTED BY THE NATIONAL TROTTING ASSOCIATION AT THE CONGRESS HELD IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 8, 1882.

RULE I .- MANDATE.

SEC. I. All trotting and pacing engagements and performances over the several courses which are or shall be represented by membership in "THE NATIONAL TROTTING Association," and each and every person who shall in any way be concerned or employed therein, as well as all associations and proprietors themselves who are or shall become members of said National Association, shall be governed by the following Rules from and after February 8, 1882.

RULE 2.—ENTRIES.

SEC. 1. All entries must be made in writing, signed by the person making the same, or by some one authorized in his behalf; and within the time appointed for closing; they must be addressed and forwarded according to the published conditions, or deposited with the Secretary or other person authorized to receive them.

SEC. 2. All entries not actually received by the member as aforesaid, at the hour of closing, shall be ineligible, except entries by letter bearing postmark, not later than the day of closing, or entries notified by telegraph, the telegram to be actually received at the office of sending at or before the hour of closing, such telegram to state the color, sex and name of horse, and the class to be entered, also to give the name and residence of the party making the entry.

SEC. 3. The hour for closing the entries for all purses or premiums offered by any of the associated courses shall be II o'clock p.m., except for stakes and purses for horses to be