

... and Garterly Bell, was bred by the present owner, Lord Falkmouth, and appeared first in public at the Ham Stakes at Goodwood, which he won easily from Doucrouse, Mr. Merriam and two others. In his next essay the Buckingham Stakes at Newmarket First October—he ran second to Verneuil, Hyndland being third, this being the only occasion on which he suffered defeat as a two-year-old, as he carried off in succession the Clearwell Stakes (beating Hadrian, Collingbourne and three others), a post sweepstakes (beating Prince of Orange), and walked over for the Glasgow Stakes. During the present year Silvio ran twice previous to his great victory at Epsom, having been unplaced for the Newmarket month, won by Gray Friar, and having run third to Chamant and Brown Eagle in the Two Thousand. After his performance at Epsom he won the Ascot Derby, but as his competitors in that event were Lord Bras Lord's Zuechero and Mr. W. S. Mitchell Inne's Queen Arthur his victory was not unexpected. Silvio's engagements are the Doncaster Stakes (10 lbs. ex.), the last day of the present meeting, St. Leger Stakes (7 lbs. ex.) at Newmarket First October, Select Stakes (5 lbs. ex.), Champion Stakes and Newmarket Derby (7 lbs. ex.) at Newmarket Second October, Free Handicap Sweepstakes (120 lbs.), and All-Aged Stakes at Newmarket Houghton meeting. His 1878 engagements comprise the Prince of Wales (7 lbs. ex.) at the Newmarket First Spring, and the Champagne Stakes at the Newmarket Second October meeting. Silvio is by Blair Athol, from Silver Fox by Kingston her dam England's Beauty by Potentilla, out of Prairie Bird by Touchstone. This is a pedigree full of running blood. Silvio is a whole colored light bay, standing 15 hand 3 inches. He has the sweetest little head imaginable, full of blood-like quality and well set on to a clean and perfectly formed neck. He has great, raking shoulders, a deep brisket, a very powerful back and loins, wide hips and well rounded quarters. His fore legs, knees and hocks are well formed and free from blemish, and he stands all round on tough looking and well formed feet. He is a remarkably true made and well balanced colt, and moved uncommonly well when fully extended in action. Silvio's winnings, including the Ascot Derby, were about \$46,000. For the St. Leger Silvio had a thorough preparation and stood his work well. Therefore, when Count Lagrange's Chamant fell from his high position in the betting world a fortnight ago for this event, Silvio took the post of honor among the speculators. Lord Falkmouth's colors were indeed formidable in the race, as next to Silvio was Lady Goughly, and the immense number of friends the mare has in England will be glad of her present true form. The dark blue of Mr. Sanford, on Brown Prince, was badly beaten.

**Athletic.**

**CALEDONIAN GAMES.**

The winners at the Caledonian Games at the Cricket Ground here on Saturday will be found below:

Quoits—1st, Bippou, a silver watch; 2nd, James Dobson, \$1.

Boys' race, 200 yards, under twelve years—John Irving, \$3; Robert Ramsay, \$1.

Boys' race, 300 yards, under sixteen years—Fred Macgregor, \$3; J. Campbell, \$1.

Running hop, step, and leap—Al. x. Dobson, 42 feet 9 inches, \$4; — Carruthers, 41 feet, \$2.

Standing leap—E. W. Johnson, \$3; W. Phemix, \$3.

Running high leap—F. W. Johnson, \$3; Alex. Dobson, \$3.

Putting heavy stone—E. W. Johnson, \$3; E. Brady, \$2.

Putting light stone—E. Brady, \$5; E. W. Johnson, \$2.

Ball—100 yards—A. C. Reid, \$5; — Carruthers, \$3.

Putting cup—A. C. Reid, \$3; Alex. Dobson, \$3.

Star-gang high leap—E. W. Johnson, \$3; J. Phemix, \$2.

Tossing the caber—E. Brady, 41 feet, \$5; E. W. Johnson, 40 feet 9 inches, \$3.

High race, 500 yards—A. C. Reid, \$10; J. R. Bell, \$5.

James Mahon of the St. George-street Racket Court, who deserves much of the credit of his boy's success, having trained him.

**MONTREAL.**—The athletic meeting of the Montreal Club takes place on the 6th October next. The New York gunners, Merrit, Laportue, Lee and Pickling are expected to take part in the races.

**QUOTTING.**—The return championship quott match, says the Reflector, was played at Galt, on Saturday afternoon, 8th inst., between Mr. James Dobson, of Galt, and Mr. Walter Reid, of Cedar Creek. Considerable interest was manifested in the game, as both gentlemen are known as first-class pitchers, and pretty evenly matched in their dexterity at "covering the peg." As at the Ayr match, Mr. Dobson took the lead at the commencement of the game, but was overtaken and passed by his opponent, and who came out 16 shots ahead. Mr. Reid now claims to be the champion quoter of the Dominion.

**RAINE BEATS WOOD.**

At Ottawa, on the 13th, these two speedy peditrians, Raine, of Ottawa, and Wood, of Galt, met in a mile race. We clip the following account of the race from the Ottawa Citizen—"The grand feature of the day, among sporting men, was the champion mile race between Raine, of this city, and Wood, of Galt, who beat the former at the Catholic Union picnic last week. A good deal of money was staked on the result, the friends of Wood in many cases giving two to one. When the two men made their appearance in the ring the excitement began, and their merits and demerits were freely discussed. They were both in good trim, and felt confident of victory, and there was a determined look in Raine's face which told that he was bound to win the race or die in the attempt. When the word "go" was given Raine sprang to the front and led Woods by several yards for the first three rounds, making very fast time. Just before finishing the third, Woods "spurred" for the first position. Raine allowed him to come up even with him and then darted away again. The same thing occurred on the fourth round. On the fifth Woods made a third attempt, but it was a lamentable failure, for Raine showed a burst of speed that astonished even his best friends. From this point it was plain that Wood was beaten, and the crowd sent up cheer after cheer as the fact became more apparent. From this point to the finish Raine gained steadily and won in 4 minutes and 38 seconds, which is considered equal to 4.30 on a light track. Raine did not put as much life into the finish as he usually does, owing no doubt to the fast time made in the beginning of the race. Wood was fifty per cent worse, for he tried to get up a spurt but did not succeed. As Raine left the ground he was cheered lustily by the crowd. It is altogether probable that the men will meet again before many days have passed away, some of Woods' friends feeling that he can yet beat Raine."

**SPRINTS.**

A 100-yards race took place on the Tencamseh Park, London, on the 13th, between A. C. Reid, the well-known athlete, and Geo. Wallis. The stakes were \$100, and quite a large crowd was in attendance. Wallis won by about a yard in 11 1/2 seconds.

A ten-mile walking match will take place here, on the half mile track, Queen st. west, to-morrow, between J. Bell, of Manchester, Eng., and G. Truall, of Toronto. The stakes are said to be \$200.

Mr. Chas. McIver, of Montreal, on Saturday, the 8th inst., won the one hundred yards amateur championship of the United States, at the annual meeting of the New York Athletic Club. Thirteen of the best amateur pedestrians known competed with the winner, and there is now no doubt but that he is one of the best sprint runners on the continent.

**Central Park FALL RACES**

SATURDAY & MONDAY  
September 22nd & 24th, 1877

- FIRST DAY**
1. \$150—\$300 class. Horses owned in Canada 1st January, 1877. \$100, 85, 15.
  2. \$85—Farmers' Park. Horses owned by farmers within 15 miles of Orangeville. \$20, 10, 5.
  3. \$125—Running. Horses owned in Canada 1st January, 1877. T. C. W. Foreign breeds 10 lbs extra, 7 bar Maritime and Inspiration.) \$90, 25, 10.
- SECOND DAY**
4. \$170—2:40 class. Horses owned in Canada 1st January, 1877. \$120, 35, 15.
  5. \$90—Running. Horses owned in Canada 1st January, 1877. 7 bar winner of first money in No. 8.) T. C. W. \$60, 20, 10.
  6. \$175—\$30 class. \$120, 40, 15.

**RULES & REGULATION.**

1. Dominion Rules to govern.
2. Entrance to be 10 per cent of purse, and must accompany nomination.
3. Entries must specify age, name, color and sex, and in running races must specify jockey's color, and must be made on or before Thursday, September 20th, or mailed so as to be received by the Secretary of Orangeville before that date, except for No 2, which will be received up to the time of race, and for No 5 up to 22nd. Positively no entries will be noticed or received after 9 a.m. of that date.
4. Entries unaccompanied by the cash will not be noticed.
5. Riders to appear in Jockey's Costume.
6. Three horses to enter and two to start, and if only three enter no third money will be given.
7. Any horse distancing the field only entitled to first money.
8. No conditional entries.
9. Ineligible and ruled out horses forfeit entrance money.
10. Heats may be trotted and run alternately or not as the Judges elect.
11. Any person protesting against a horse shall deposit 10 per cent of purse with the Secretary as a guarantee of protest, the protest to be made in writing, and in case of such person not sustaining the protest the money shall be forfeited to the Association.
12. Judges to have power of postponing races on account of weather or other just cause.
13. Horses to be eligible on the date of this Bill.
14. Judges' decision to be final in all cases.
15. Horses to be called at 1 o'clock, p.m. sharp.
16. Trotting to be mile heats, 8 in 5, and running mile heats 2 in 3.

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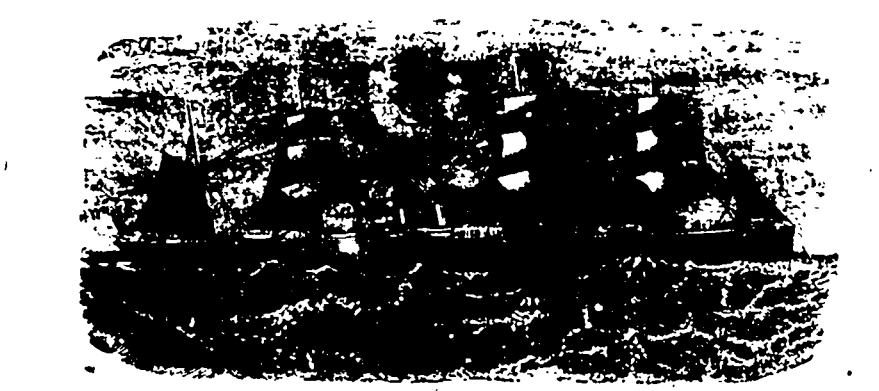
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