

F Pearson, b g Islander, 5 yrs, by Jack Lane, dam by Bladin, 107 lbs. 2 3
 C E Ray's ch m Sunbeam, 5 yrs, by Jack Lane, dam by Pilot, 107 lbs. 5 4
 Jas Lannan's b g Maritime, 4 yrs, by Jack Lane, dam by Sambo. dis
 Eugene Wells, br m Emily, aged, by Terror, dam Liberty. dr
 Time—1:50, 1:50.

THIRD DAY—JUNE 2ND.

The weather again continued favorable, and the attendance to witness the trots was good. The track, as the time shows, must have been in good condition; four horses getting records of better than 40. St. Patrick was favorite for the 8-minute race, and did not disappoint his backers, winning easily enough, although the stallion Fulton captured one heat which he would have been better without. The Queen, who had been well thought of by some, was distanced in the first whirl, she apparently never got going through the heat. A description of the race would be tedious from its sameness. Mr. Nowlan, of Hamilton, the owner of St. Patrick, was offered \$8,500 for him by a couple of Boston gentlemen, but the ex-alderman's figures were \$1,500 in advance of the proposition, and no concession being offered, the Hibernian colt was taken back to the Ambitious city. It is not Mr. Nowlan's intention to trot him in any more races this season after he gets through with his match at Hamilton on the 22nd inst. The following is the detailed summary:—

June 2—Three-minute Class—Purse \$500; \$350 to first, 100 to second, 50 to third. Trotting, mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

Owen Nowlan's b g St. Patrick, 5 yrs, by Clear Grit, dam by Tippecanoe. 1 1 2 1
 Mr. Gillis' ch m Fulton, aged, by Temperance, dam the dam of Fred Hooper. 2 4 1 2
 J Mitchell's b m Welland Girl, 6 yrs, by Dominion Boy, dam by Black Prince. 3 2 3 3
 R James, b g John A, aged, by Toronto Chief, dam unknown. 4 3 4 4
 P Davy, blk g Lookout, aged, pedigree unknown. 5 5 5 5
 C E Ray, g m the Queen, aged, by Young Grey Eagle, dam Fanny Foster. dis
 S E Erwin, ch m Lady Julian, 6 yrs, by Young Royal George, dam unknown, dis
 Time—2:40, 2:41, 2:38, 2:36.

The 2:40 trot proved to be one of the most interesting contests of the meeting. Black Mack, before the start, was made a strong favorite, which was increased after the first heat. During the race there was considerable chopping around in "the box" between Mack, Ethan, and Eddie. In the first heat Ethan had the best of the sound off, and led to about half way down the stretch, when he was overhauled by Mack, who had trotted the last half mile at about a '80 clip, the black fellow winning the heat handily. The second heat was a tame one, Ethan getting away with the lead, which he kept throughout. Grey Eddie captured the third heat after a good race down the stretch with Ethan, the latter breaking near the wire and leading the grey horse, but was set back to second place. The balance of the heats were captured easily enough by the Brantford representative.

Same Day—2:40 class. Purse \$500; \$350 to first, 100 to second, 50 to third. Trotting; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.
 A F Lee's ch g Little Ethan, aged, pedigree unknown. 2 1 2 1 1
 P Davy's blk g Black Mack, aged, by Jim Crack, dam by Pilot. 1 3 2 2 2
 R James' g g Grey Eddie, 6 yrs, pedigree unknown. 4 2 1 3 3
 J Fleming's ch g Toronto Boy, aged, pedigree unknown. 3 4 4 dis
 Time—2:35, 2:41, 2:40, 2:38, 2:36.

FOURTH DAY—JUNE 5.

On account of rain on Saturday, the final day's proceedings had to be postponed until Monday. The weather looked threatening for yet, but fortunately it held off, so that the proceedings were brought to a conclusion. The attendance was by no means in keeping with the fine programme offered. For the mile and half open handicap, Forbes' entries started in the betting as favorites, but before the word inspiration occupied the premiere position. When they were sent off, Inspiration was the first to show in front when the running really commenced, with Bruce alongside. At the stand the positions were about the same, with Vick running up on Galt Reporter; around the turn Vick ran past the latter, and on the back stretch through the heavy ground the Dr.'s mare kept the lead by about a neck from Bruce, Vick a length behind; Passion and Galt Reporter out of the race so far as any chances of winning were concerned. Swinging into the stretch, Bruce went for the mare in earnest, and half way down had her beaten to a certainty. Vick, who had been running unkindly on account of a contrivance on his bit, to keep him from going to the pole, a good third, Passion fourth, and Galt Reporter a long way in the rear. Considering the weight Bill Bruce carried, 16 lbs. over his due impost, his performance was certainly remarkable, and stamps him as one of the

trifle the best of it at the first hurdle on the stretch, but the mare appeared to possess the most foot, and pressing him very hard they both dashed at the last obstruction almost simultaneously, which gave way, and the mare recovering the quicker outfooted the gelding to the wire, Boney a passable third. On weighing after the race it was found that Bennett's rider was light, having lost his lead pad somewhere on the course, and Kelso was consequently given the first place, Bennett being disqualified; Boney coming in for the smaller plum. The riding of McBride, Williams and young DeFries was exceedingly fine, and provoked universal admiration.

Same Day—Open Steeple Chase—Purse \$400 to first, 100 to second. Handicap, about two miles and a half; top weight 168 lbs.
 Fisher & Carson's b g Kelso, aged, by Voucher, dam Kate Leonard, by Epilone, 168 lbs 1
 F Pearson, br g Boney, 4 yrs, by Rurio, dam unknown, 140 lbs. 2
 C. Boyle, ch m Helen Bonnett, 5 yrs, by U. version, dam Ellen Douglass by O'Meara, 160 lbs. dq
 Capt Polo, b g The Judge, 5 yrs, by Lightning, dam by imp Australian, 155 lbs. 0

The Consolation, handicap, dash of a mile finished the sport. In this Passion and Islander were each selling up even with the field. It was a run from wire to wire. Galvants away with the lead with Passion for a companion; on the back stretch the Red Eye mare went to the front; coming into the stretch Pearson called on Islander and made play for the leader, which at one time looked dangerous, but Tiffin hustled Passion lively, and beat the party.

Same Day—Consolation Race—Purse \$100, entrance free; post entry; a dash of one mile.
 J Scott, b m Passion, 6 yrs, pedigree as above, 110 lbs. 1
 E Pearson, b g Islander, 5 yrs, by Jack Lane, dam by imp Saladin, 110 lbs. 2
 J Scott, ch m Goldfinch, aged, by Harper, dam by imp Lapidist, 116 lbs. 3
 J Morgan's br m Galvantes, 6 yrs, by Summersault, dam unknown, 112 lbs. 0
 J Morgan's ch m Galt Reporter, aged, pedigree as above, 110 lbs. 0
 Time—1:42.

The match trot between Black Mack and St. Paul was called up; the latter did not appear, and Mack jogged around the track alone.

Taken in all its phases the meeting must be considered a success, notwithstanding the fearfully hard luck with which the Association was afflicted. Many things might be condemned in the management, and there is much to be commended, so we will let the bad go with the good; knowing the experience acquired in this meeting will not be lost on the club. The debut of such horses as Bill Bruce and Passion; and St. Patrick and Fulton is strongly suggestive of good things in store for Canadian turfmen. Had it not been for the very unfavorable weather the financial success of the meeting was insured, and as it is, it is hoped the Association have met with encouragement equal to their merits and exertions.

RACING AT WINGHAM.

The new Driving Park at Wingham was opened on 24th May with a two days' meeting. The track is situated about three-quarters of a mile from the business part of the village, on the Bluevale road. It is a half-mile, surrounded by a high board fence, and the track itself is properly railled. The Judges' and grand and refreshment stands are all complete. The attendance was very large.

Wingham, Ont., May 24—Running; \$75; for horses that never won public money.
 T Hall's sorrel mare. 1 1 1
 B Campbell's b h Wingham Boy. 2 2 2
 J Avery's Lady Stanley. 3 3 3
 Six others started.

Same Day—Trotting; \$80; three-minute class, mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

G McCarthy, b m Lady Mack. 1 1 1
 N Sage, g m Nilstown Maid. 2 2 2
 N Griffin, ch m Wingham Star. 3 3 3
 Thomas Hall, br m Gipsy Lass. dis
 S McLean, ch m White Stockings. dis
 Time—3:10 0:00, 3:04.

Same Day—Running; \$25. Half-mile heats, for farmers' horses.

Thos Ralph's Lucy Gray. 1 1
 John Carnes' Deer Foot. 2 2
 Five others started.

Same Day—Trotting; \$75. For horses that never won money. Mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

N Sage's Mountain Maid. 4 1 1
 J Dinsley's John A. 1 2 2
 N Griffin's Wingham Star. 2 3 3
 Huron Queen, Fly, Gladstone, and Brown George, were distanced.

Second Day, May 25—Running; \$100. Open to all horses; mile heats.

Jas Flynn's Leo. 3 1 1
 Thos Hall's sorrel mare. 2 2 2
 Johnnie Logan, Sir Allen, and Wingham Girl were distanced.

Same Day—Trotting; \$100. Open to all. Mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

Hood's Long John. 3 1 1
 Worden's Lady Dufferin. 1 3 3
 McCarthy's Lady Mack. 2 2 2

Pedestrianism.

HARRIS vs. DUFFY.

A match is in contemplation at Ottawa between James Harris, of Woodstock, better known as the Cleveland Boy, and Duffy, of Ottawa, to be run about the middle of the month. It was originally made for \$100 a side, but both parties were anxious to raise it \$250, and a conference for that purpose was to have been held on Monday, the result of which has not reached us. Duffy wants to make the distance 100 yards, while Harris sticks out for 75 yards. It originated through Harris defeating Duffy at the holiday sports on the 24th ult.

Mr. A. Watson, of Toronto, a young amateur pedestrian, left Toronto on the Queen's birthday at 4:30 a. m., and arrived in Hamilton at the market at 3:25 p. m., thus making a distance of 45 miles in less than 11 hours. We believe this time includes a stay of a quarter of an hour at Port Credit, 15 minutes at Oakville, and the same at Wellington Square, where he was at 1 p. m. He freely asserts he is able to walk the distance in 10 1/2 hours.

A foot race for a small stake took place on the Driving Park, Dundas, last week, between O. Closson and P. Dick; Closson giving 10 yards in 200. Closson won easily.

A five mile walking match came off on Friday evening on the half mile track, Queen St. west, between Messrs. Hunter, Imperial Bank; Phillips, Standard Bank, Hammond, Bank of Commerce, and Stewart of the Montreal Bank. Stewart won in 51 minutes and 20 seconds.

Cricket.

PRESENTATION TO MR. COEN.

A match was played on 24th ult. between the first twelve and next twenty-two of the Carlton club, on the ground of Mr. Coen, Mimico, in which the former were victorious by single innings score of 72 to 47. After the innings of the 22 had been played the company sat down to an elegant repast, the pleasure of which enhanced by the ceremony of presentation of a handsome silver water-pitcher with goblets to Mr. Coen, the captain of the club, accompanied by an appropriate address. The presentation was made by Mr. Stobbsbury, of this city, vice-president of the club, in felicitious terms, and responded to by the recipient in an appropriate reply.

A GAME IN MANITOBA.

A very interesting game was played at Winnipeg on 13th ult. between the City and the ex and present Military, which resulted in favor of the City by 59 runs. Mr. Powell, late of Ottawa, contributed 34 and 15 by careful play, and is considered quite an acquisition to the ranks in Manitoba. Mr. M. Wood is credited with 28 and 18, among which are some leg hits for 4 and 5. The military batting was good, but bad luck prevailed.

A CARD FROM MR. LOWELL.

Toronto, June 1, 1876.

To the Editor of the Sporting Times.

Sir—The Mail of this morning in its report of the race for the Queen's Plate contains the intendment that Mary L., our entry, is not a Province bred. Now if the writer of the article, or any other gentleman, is at any time sufficiently interested in a race in which Mary L. is engaged to protest her, such evidence will be forthcoming as will satisfy those who are so fond of slurring other people's horses the impropriety of so doing.

Further, Mary L. was never headed in the race for the Plate.

Yours respectfully,

C. LOWELL.

FROM ST. CATHERINES.

To the Editor of the Sporting Times.

We are promised a good day's sport on the 16th, by Col. Tom Brown, at Homer. He is to give \$150 in purses to be contested for. Three races will constitute the programme. Great interest is manifested in the coming contests, as several well-known green ones come together, and very sharp work is expected.

Mr. John Bradburn left to-day for Woodstock with two trotters; bay horse Dr. Griswold is entered for the 3-minute class, and bay mare Lady Hill in the '85 race.

Next week I will look around among the horses and give you a few notes.

June 5th, 1876.

NIX.

Amusements.

CITY.

A plethora of racing matter obliges us to curtail our amusement gossip.

Mrs. Morrison has been suffering from



THE SUMMER MEETING OF

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WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY,

JUNE 21st & 22nd, '76.

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FIRST DAY.

1. Running Race—1 1/2 mile dash, open to all. Purse \$150. 1st, \$100; 2nd, 50.

2. 2:35 Trotting Race.—Purse \$225. 1st, \$160; 2nd, 65.

3. Running Race.—Mile heats, for Dominion Bred Horses. Purse \$200. 1st, \$140; 2nd, 60.

4. Hurdle Race.—Two mile dash, over eight hurdles, (Handicap) Purse \$250. 1st, \$100; 2nd, 50. Hurdles 3 ft. 6 inch. Top weight 102 lbs.

SECOND DAY.

1. 3:30 Trotting Race.—Purse \$200. 1st, \$150; 2nd, \$50.

2. Running Race.—Two mile dash; open to all. Purse \$200. 1st, \$150; 2nd, 50.

3. 2:50 Trotting Race.—Purse \$150. 1st, \$100; 2nd, 50.

4. Open for All Trotting Race.—Purse \$275. 1st, \$175; 2nd, 100.

Rules and Regulations.

Entries must close at ten o'clock on Saturday evening, June 17th, 1876, addressed to S. Perrin, Royal Exchange Hotel, Chatham, Box 568. Entrance ten per cent. of Purse, and must accompany nomination or will not be received.

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Third Race—\$200; Running Purse—Open to all; dash of 2 miles. \$150 to first, 50 to second.

Fourth Race—\$200—Trotting Purse—For horses that have never beaten 2:50. Mile heats 3 in 5. \$150 to first, 50 to second.

SECOND DAY.

Thursday—First Race—\$200—Trotting Purse—For Dominion bred horses that have never beaten 3 minutes; mile heats, 3 in 5. \$150 to first, 50 to second.

Second Race—\$200; Running Purse—For Dominion bred horses; dash of 2 miles. \$150 to first, 50 to second.

Third Race—\$200; Running Purse—Open to all; mile heats, 2 in 5. \$150 to first, 50 to second.

Fourth Race—\$200; Trotting Purse—For horses that have never beaten 2:50. Mile heats 3 in 5. \$150 to first, 50 to second.

Rules and Regulations.

The races to be governed by the Rules of the Dominion Turf Association.

Riders to appear in full Jockey Costume (Colors to be named at the time of entry).

All entries to be made in writing; such entry to specify age, name, color, sex, sire and dam, with the owner's name—such entry to be enclosed in a sealed envelope, with the entry-money addressed to the Secretary.

The Association have determined to receive no conditional entries, and insist upon the entry money accompanying the nomination.

Three horses to enter and two to start.

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Horses eligible on the evening of the 12th of June.

All entries to be made not later than 9:30 on the evening of Monday, the 12th of June, at the Turf Club House.

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