

L P Tarlton, Jr's ch Solicitor, 5 yrs, by Enquirer, dam Sally (\$750), 103 lbs Stoval 1
James Davis' b f Omega, 4 yrs (\$750), 95 lbs Hovey 2
E Hughes b f Bettie F, 4 yrs (\$950), 95 lbs Gibbs 3
Macedonius, Cash Clay, Apothecary and Mollie Hart also started.

Betting—3 to 2 agst Cash Clay, 2 to 1 Solicitor, 4 to 1 Bettie F, 5 to 1 Omega, 10 to 1 any other. Macedonius immediately took the lead and kept it for a mile, when Mollie Hart and Solicitor went to the front, and the latter coming away won hands down by two lengths, Omega getting second place by a length from Bettie F. Time, 8:05½.

The winner was brought in by his owner at the entered price.

Second Race—Sherman House Purse, \$1000; for all ages; \$200 to second; \$100 to third, 8 miles.

G B Morris' b h Long Taw, 5 yrs, by Longfellow, dam Slipper, 118 lbs Edwards 1

J K Stringfield's ch f Alice Bruce, 4 yrs, 107 lbs Hovey 2

G B Morris' ch g Frank Short, 4 yrs, 107 lbs Wolf 3
Lillie R and Sistora also started.

Betting—6 to 4 on Morris' pair, 2 to 1 agst Lillie R, 4 to 1 Alice Bruce, 6 to 1 Sistora. Frank Short and Alice Bruce immediately cut out the pace for their respective stable companions, and in the third mile their missions being ended Long Taw, and Lillie R went to the front, but the latter was soon done with and Alice Bruce was again set to work to try and win, but the pace she went in the fore part of the race told on her, and Long Taw won easily by three lengths, Frank Short being beaten a length for second place. Time, 5:38.

Third Race—Club Purse, \$400; for all ages; \$100 to second. Winners at either of these meetings excluded. Mile heats.

G B Morris' ch f Goldbug, 3 yrs, by John Morgan, dam Bouquet, 92 lbs L Brown 1 1

George Hakes' b f Monopoly, 4 yrs, 107 lbs Edwards 3 2

James Davis' b f Omega, 4 yrs, 107 lbs Gibson 6 3
Macedonius, Big Henry, Benown and Respond also started.

Betting—Even on Big Henry, 6 to 4 agst Gold Bug, 8 to 1 Renown, 4 to 1 Respond.

First Heat—Renown and Gold Bug immediately took the lead, the latter winning easily by three lengths, Big Henry second, Monopoly third. Time, 1:48.

Second Heat—Betting, 4 to 1 on Gold Bug who won easily by three lengths. Time, 1:44½.

Fourth Race—Purse, \$200; for all ages; \$50 to second. Winners of this year excluded, 6 furlongs.

G W Bowen & Co's ch m Cammie F, 5 yrs, by Glenelg, dam Cordelia, 112 lbs Sanders 1

E Harrison's ch f Beeswing, 3 yrs, 92 lbs W Jones 2

J K Stringfield's ch f Little Nell, 2 yrs, 88 lbs Hovey 3

Vendor, Boswell, Blue Grass, Satilla, Strasburg, Redman, Duplicate and Kili also started.

Betting—6 to 4 agst Vendor, 8 to 1 Cammie F, 4 to 1 Redman, Little Nell and Satilla, 5 to 1 Duplicate and Boswell. Vendor was first away, Beeswing being left; at the distance six were abreast and a rattling race ensued, Cammie F winning by a nose, a neck between second and third. Had Beeswing started with the others she must have won. Time, 1:16½.

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Betting after the first heat—3 to 2 on Beatitude, 2 to 1 agst Rosella, 8 to 1 agst Charlie Ross, and 10 to 1 agst Respond. Won by a length. Time, 1:18.

Betting after the 2nd heat—4 to 1 on Rosella. Won easily. Time, 1:48½.

Betting after the third heat—4 to 1 on Beatitude. Beatitude came away at the distance, and won easily by half a length. Time, 1:48½.

No betting after this heat, any odds being offered on Beatitude. The favorite won, hands down, by three lengths. Time, 1:51½.

Third Race—Club Purse \$300, for all ages; \$50 to second; with allowances; 1½ miles.

G B Morris' ch f Gold Bug, 3 yrs, by John Morgan, dam Bouquet, 83 lbs L Brown 1

J B Malone's ch m Matagorda, 6 yrs, 103 lbs Hovey 2

Win Hill & Co's ch c Jim Malone, 3 yrs, 83 lbs Allen 8

Macedonius, Alice Bruce, Sally Polk, Long Sick, Leabunah, Granger and Solicitor also started.

Betting—Even on Gold Bug, 5 to 2 each agst Matagorda and Solicitor, 3 to 1 Alice Bruce, 5 to 1 Jim Malone, 6 to 1 Sally Polk, 10 to 1 any other. Jim Malone took the lead at the start, but on the back stretch Gold Bug went into first place, keeping it to the end and winning easily by a length, a length between second and third. Time, 2:38½.

Fourth Race—Handicap Hurdle Race. Purse \$400; \$75 to second, \$25 to third. Two miles over eight hurdles.

W L Cassidy's ch g Capt Franklin, 5 yrs, by Glen-garry, — Sally Wilton, 140 lbs Coleman 1

M Griffin's b g Harry Bishop, 150 lbs Willis 2

Cannon also started.

Cannon led for the first mile, when Capt Franklin went to the front, and staying there won by two lengths. Time, 4:05½.

Complaint was made by Cannon's jockey, McGrath, of foul riding on the part of Willis, but the judges disallowed it and evidently did not think Cannon was ridden to win, as they refused to place his horse and have reserved their decision as to what they will do with the owner and rider. This ended a very successful double meeting.

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THE NEWMARKET JULY MEETING.

At Newmarket, Eng., on July 6, the race for the July stakes, 2 year-olds colts and fillies, was won by Lord Falmouth's Bal Gal, Lorillard's Iroquois second, Bathvan's Neophyte third. Betting just before the race was 5 to 4 on Bal Gal, 6 to 1 against Iroquois, and 20 to 1 against Neophyte. Iroquois took the lead at the start, followed by Neophyte, Alston, and Tuebais. The next lot was led by Bal Gal. Iroquois soon drew clear, but on reaching the dip Bal Gal challenged him, and getting up in the last few strides won a good race by a head, with Neophyte a bad third. Time, 1 minute 19½ seconds.

The following also ran: Albatross (filly), Sunshine (filly), St. Firmin, Moldorea, Josyan, and Meteora. A race for the selling plate was won by Lorillard's Boreas, Templar second, Tripon third, Red Wolf fourth, and Crawford's Elderberry last. Betting just before the race was 6 to 4 against Boreas, 5 to 1 against Templar, 7 to 1 against Tripon. Boreas was first to show to the front. Elderberry kept second for half a mile. Templar then took the second place, but Boreas held his own to the end, and won easily by a length, with three-quarters of a length between second and third. The winner Boreas was sold to Mr. Hungerford for 460 guineas.

July 7.—The race for the Midsummer stake was run at Newmarket to-day, and was won by Lord Rosebery's Cipolati, with Mr. Brewer's Robert the Devil second, and Lord Falmouth's Pride of the Ocean third. Four horses ran.

July 8.—At the Newmarket July meeting to-day, the Chesterfield Stakes for two-year-olds, 5 furlongs, was decided in the presence of an immense crowd of fashionable spectators, the stands and enclosures being filled. The Prince of Wales, with a large party, was present. When the numbers were hoisted, they showed that there would be ten starters. The close of the betting showed the American colt to be decidedly the first favorite, the Americans present laying their money with a freedom that led to the conclusion that they considered the race practically over before the horses were started. The result proved their reasoning to be correct, as Iroquois won easily by three lengths, thus showing that he can be ranked among the first-class youngsters of the year. Panique and Voluptuary made a dead heat for second place. Iroquois was ridden by Jeffery, Panique by Gouster, Voluptuary by Constable, Lennoxlove by Webb, the Adversary filly by Macdonald, Galopade by Luke, Folengo by Snowden, Josyan by Morris, Tristan by Fordham and Golden Plover by Wood. Galopade was in the lead for three furlongs, but then fell back, leaving Voluptuary and Panique in advance of Iroquois, the Adversary filly and Lennoxlove. When coming up the hill Iroquois shot

out, went to the front, and making the remainder of the running won easily by three lengths. Panique and Voluptuary, as stated, ran a dead heat for second place, Lennoxlove, the Adversary filly, Golden Plover, Tristan, Galopade, Folengo and Josyan following in the order given. Tristan was behind Iroquois throughout the race. The time of the race was 1.13.

MORE OF THE BEND OR QUESTION.

NEWMARKET, July 8.—The stewards of the Jockey Club, in view of the complicated nature of the evidence, have declined to advise the owners of Robert the Devil in the Bend Or difficulty.

LONDON, July 9.—The Sportsman says that an eminent legal functionary, and a member of the Jockey Club, has given it as his opinion that the stud book means virtually nothing in Bend Or's case. It would not be surprising if to-morrow or Saturday Messrs. Weatherby received notice not to pay the Derby stakes to the Duke of Westminster. The owners of Robert the Devil are still persuaded that there has been a case of mistaken identity respecting Bend Or and Tadcaster.

LONDON, July 10.—The Sportsman says that the difficulty in relation to Bend Or is still in abeyance. The owners of Robert the Devil have taken legal advice upon the question, and intend seriously to consider whether or not they will lodge objection against the payment of the Derby Stakes to the Duke of Westminster.

Pigeon Shooting.

GREAT PIGEON SHOOTING.

BOGARDUS BEATS RIMELL BY THE WONDERFUL SCORE OF 99 OUT OF 100 BIRDS AT 80 YARDS.

The second of the series of pigeon-shooting matches between Captain A. H. Bogardus and Mr. Geo. Rimell, of England, was shot at the Brighton Beach race-track, N. Y., on July 2. A better display of wing-shooting was never seen in this or any other country, both of the scores being equal to if not better than were ever heard of before. Bogardus won by a score of 99 to Rimell's 88 out of 100, the one bird lost by Bogardus being so riddled with shot that it fell dead just over the boundary line. The birds shot at were wild and very small, and a large majority were very fast, but as both men, especially Bogardus, were in much better form than on Wednesday, the killing was much cleaner. The conditions and score are as follows:—

BRIGHTON BEACH, Coney Island, N. Y., July 2.—Match \$450 (\$500), Captain A. H. Bogardus and George Rimell to shoot at 100 pigeons each from five ground traps, English rules, with 1½ oz. of shot, 80 yards boundary. Bogardus at 80 yards; Rimell at 28 yards.

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Total, 100; killed 99, missed 1.	

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Total, 100; killed 88, missed 12.	

Referre—Mr. P. Kelly, Fountain Gun Club. Time—Three hours

TORONTO GUN CLUB.

On Saturday last a silver cup presented by Messrs. R. Wilson, President, and J. James, Vice-President of the Toronto Gun Club, to be shot for by the members on handicap terms, was competed for. The conditions were to shoot at ten birds each from two traps, with 100 yards boundary. Mr. James shot with the squad for company and killed all his birds, which of course did not count. There were nine actual contestants, and of these seven killed nine birds. J. Taylor went out at 8, and W. Kennedy at 7. The tie was then shot off, as follows, five birds each, all going back five yards from the handicap mark.

W. Goss, 25 yds	1 1 1 1 1	11
T. Taylor, 24 yds	1 1 1 1 1	10
H. Watson, 26 yds	1 1 1 0 1	
C. Thorn, 24 yds	0 1 0 1 1	
J. Douglas, 25 yds	1 0 0	
W. Smith, 25 yds	0 1 0	

As will be seen, Messrs. Taylor and Goss tied again and then shot off bird for bird, Taylor making his second, which gave the cup to Mr. Goss. Mr. W. Bagg was referee, and W. Bacon trapper.