



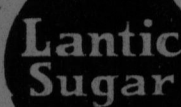
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LOCAL TURF EVENTS OF 1887

Driving and Riding Races On Moosepath Track

YORKTOWN'S VICTORY

Golden Maxim and Other Speedy Horses — Nationals' Win Over St. Stephen Ball Team — 700 Moncton Fans to City

Wednesday, August 10, 1887, was a red letter day for turf followers. Moosepath Park had held many well satisfied crowds but never did it have a gathering so thoroughly enthusiastic and appreciative. While the trotting was not particularly fast, it was good. The first race was the 2.44 class. Three horses started, Duchess, Maud C. and Thunderer. In the first heat Maud C. and Duchess practically had the course to themselves, owing to the breaking of Thunderer as he went down the back stretch on his way to the three-quarter pole, up to that time he had been going well. Towards the end Duchess broke badly and Maud C. won by several lengths. Time 2:50. The second heat was the best of the race. Maud C. broke on the upper corner of the track, but caught quickly and went hot after Duchess and Thunderer. The latter acted well but his Nemesis followed his footsteps and while he was going handily to the first quarter pole, he broke so badly that his driver had to pull him to a standstill, before he could be gotten under control. After crossing the half mile Thunderer started to close the gap between him and the other horses. The latter were working hard and fighting every inch of the way when both broke near the distance stand. They went at it again for the few remaining yards, and it looked anybody's race until Duchess went into the air and Maud C. won. Sontag, a Manchester, Me., horse won the free-for-all in slow time. The running race created the most interest, as there was a good field of horses. Golden Maxim, Yorktown, considered one of the fastest horses in Canada, Strabismus, Emisary were the four best. Maxim had the pole, Yorktown was with Emisary sandwiched in between him and Strabismus. When they went off Maxim had a slight lead, with the others close up and bunched. As they went for the upper corner, Strabismus was forming with Maxim a pocket for Yorktown, but when they had straightened out on the back stretch, Collins gave Yorktown his head and Strabismus widened out to save himself. Passing under the wire at the half mile, Maxim was ahead with Yorktown on his flank. The other two were running well. Going towards the three quarter pole Yorktown forged to the front and neck and neck he and Maxim went by and into the lower turn. Here Yorktown seemed to get off his stride coming about the sharp curve and Maxim was nearly a length to the good when the riders could see the stand. When passing the stables, Yorktown responded bravely to Collins and forged inside the pole. Stride after stride he appeared to gain when Willis took Maxim so close that he crowded Yorktown against the fence and it was impossible for him to pass. He drew out but although he made a desperate effort to win he was too late. Maxim went under the wire by less than a head in front of Yorktown. In the second heat Emisary cut out the pace, followed by Maxim with Yorktown and Strabismus riding together. A quarter at that rate of speed was enough for Emisary. Just below the quarter mile the four were bunched. Coming around the lower turn Maxim and Yorktown forged to the front and came thundering along neck and neck until, when passing the half mile, Yorktown responded to Collins and went half a length in front of Willis, with Maxim. On the homestretch, Wood, who was riding Strabismus, plied whip and spur, passed Maxim and went after Yorktown, but it was useless as the St. John horse crossed the line a winner. Time 1:52. Yorktown and Maxim fought it out for the final and the former won quite handily. Time 1:58. Yorktown was owned by Peter Clinch, and Golden Maxim by E. Leibel Willis. Baseball On August 9, 1887 the F. J. W.'s of St. Stephen met their Waterloo at the grounds of the Cricket and Athletic Club here in a game with the Nationals. The visitors went first to bat and got two men over the plate, partly owing to the fact that the same number took their base on balls. One man struck out, another was caught out on a foul, and the third hit a fly to Warlock who took it prettily after a long run. The Nationals had a fruitless inning and it was the only time during the game that they failed to score. The end of the game showed the score 28 to 12 in favor of the locals. Twenty-five Nationals got to base on hits, and of their opponents seven. The home team went to bat sixty-two times. On Wednesday, August 10 the Shamrocks had advertised a game with the Moncton team, but when the train pulled in with more than 700 people from

the railway town there was no sign of the ball team and the result was that the locals were disappointed. In order not to disappoint the fans the Shamrocks picked up a team and played a four inning game on the Barrack square. They won quite handily by a score of 15 to 4. The Shamrocks played in the form and fielded in great style behind their star pitcher Dan Conolly, who never hurried the sphere in better style.

SOLDIERS RELIEVED OF HOMESTEAD DUTIES

Ottawa, May 18.—Relief from homestead duties is to be granted to Canadians absent on active service as the result of an order-in-council passed by the government. In future any homesteader, whether he is an alien or a British subject by birth or naturalization, on active service, and who for this reason or of wounds received or illness therefrom, is unable to resume occupation of his homestead or to complete the conditions of his entry, will be relieved from such conditions, and in the event of his death similar relief will be granted to his legal representatives.

Of Course Not "Merit always tells." "Oh, I don't know. You never heard a woman admit that the best player won the prize at a bridge party."

CENTENARY LADIES' AID

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Centenary church, held this week, the reports indicated a successful year's work. Through the efforts of the society 396 new garments were sent to the Belgians, cash contributions of \$73.22 being used to purchase materials. Large contributions of clothing, which had been worn but which was in excellent condition, were also sent, as well as \$27 in cash, the share of the society in the proceeds of a lecture given by Rev. W. H. Barracough. Much work has been done by the society in both church and parsonage, mites have been collected to the amount of \$111, systematic visiting of the congregation has been carried on, and the poor have been assisted in every way possible by the benevolent committee. The united Methodist choir have been twice entertained, tea was served for the soldiers on Sunday afternoons during the winter and a large and delightful congregational at home was conducted upon the occasion of the 75th anniversary of Centenary church. Work for the Red Cross Society is carried on each Monday afternoon under

the direction of Mrs. W. H. Barracough, a ten cent tea being served once a month. The Dorcas committee gave out at Christmas eighty children's garments and at Easter between thirty and forty. The following officers were elected to serve the coming year: President, Mrs. W. G. Smith. 1st vice-president—Mrs. George Jenkins. 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Enoch Paul. Secretary, Mrs. R. A. Sinclair. Treasurer, Mrs. Frank Skinner. The following convenors of committees were appointed: Visiting committee, Mrs. W. H. Barracough. Mite committee, Miss Annie M. Hee. Benevolent committee, Mrs. G. F. A. Anderson. Parsonage committee, Mrs. E. T. C. Knowles. Church committee, Mrs. F. Skinner. Mrs. J. L. Lachue. Entertainment committee, Mrs. P. W. Snyder. Mrs. E. B. Nixon. Red Cross committee, Mrs. W. H. Barracough. Dorcas committee, Mrs. H. A. Austin.

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BIGGEST GIRL A BRIDE

Miss Jolly, Weight 587, Aged 16, is Now Mrs. Gowdy. The Kansas City Union Station was turned into a big side show, and several persons missed their train in an effort to get a look at Mrs. M. A. Gowdy, 16 years old, weight more than a quarter of a ton, or to be exact, 587 pounds. Aside from being the "biggest girl in the world," Mrs. Gowdy is a bride. Until two weeks ago, when she was wedded to Gowdy, tall, lank and weighing 118 pounds, she was Miss Josie Jolly. "It may be nobody loves a fat man but there's men who love fat women—didn't I catch a husband?" said Mrs. Gowdy. "I don't see why women who are fat are forever complaining. I am satisfied I like to be fat. You don't catch me rolling around on the floor or taking any of these new fangled exercises to reduce. I want all I've got and I'll not object to more weight."

Just to show she could "step about a bit," Mrs. Gowdy did a buck and wing dance for a select audience in the hair dressing parlor in the station.

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