

Canadian Turf

RACING AT QUEBEC.

Quebec, July 21.—The following was the result of the 50 guineas race.

Dawson, g f Camille, 8 yrs, by Thunder dam an imported mare..... 1
Chaumotte, c m Maple Leaf, 5 yrs..... 2
Quinn & Quinn, b m Annie Owen, aged..... 3

There were three other starters. This was a heavy race for Dawson's filly; she started off in the lead, and was never headed in the race. Maple Leaf well up, and Annie Owen out four lengths behind.

Same Day.—\$150. Hurdling; for horses owned in the city of Quebec. Dash of two miles. \$100, 50.

Kerwin, ch m Austrine, aged, by Austrine, dam Kate Hayes, by Albion..... 1
M Temple, b m Bonnie Brae, aged..... 2
O'Connor, ch g Jack Vandal, 5 yrs..... 3
Owner, br g Barebones, aged..... 4

Austrine had an easy race all the way through. She was a strong favorite in the pools.

Same Day.—\$200. Running; 1½ mile heats, open to all. T.O.W. Dom. bred allowed 10 lbs. \$150, 50.

Scott, ch m Goldfinch, aged, by Harper, dam by Lapidist, 113 lbs..... 1
W E Owen, g g Hurricane, 6 yrs, by Thunder, dam Julia Adams, by Vandal, 109 lbs 8 2
O'Connor, br g The Moor, aged, by Lexington, dam Lucy Fowler, 123 lbs..... 3
Chaumotte, b g Rival, aged, 123 lbs..... 4
John Lawlor, b h Bombadier, 8 yrs, by Baywood, dam Goneril, 93 lbs..... 5

Goldfinch won the first heat after a hard struggle with Bombadier, Hurricane well up, Bombadier led under the wire in the second heat by saddle skirts, but a cross was claimed by the rider of Goldfinch and allowed by the judges. In consequence the old mare was given the heat and the Montreal colt distanced. The race was run under Quebec Turf Club weights which are as follows: 3 yrs, 98 lbs; 4 yrs, 110 lbs; 5 yrs, 116 lbs; 6 yrs, 122 lbs; 7 yrs and upwards, 126 lbs. Mares and geldings allowed 8 lbs, and produce-breds 10 lbs.

Same Day.—\$100. Running; scurry; gentlemen riders. Mile heats. \$60, 40.

Dr Kirwin, ch m Austrine, pedigree above 2 1
Owner, ch g Prodigal Son, aged, by Centaur..... 1 2 2

There were two other starters, but they were no place in the race.

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July 26.—\$250. Hurdle race; open to all. 2 miles, over 8 hurdles. \$200, 50.

Gordon, b h Moonstone, (for Boss Tweed), aged, by Asteroid, dam Alabama, by Brown Dick, 166 lbs..... 1
Fitzsimmons, b g The Squire, (for Gopher), aged, by King Lear, dam Goneril, by Baywood, 165 lbs..... 2
W E Owen, g h Grey Cloud, 6 yrs, by Thunder, dam by Sir Tatton, 158 lbs..... 3
Dr Kirwin, ch m Austrine, aged, pedigree above, 165 lbs..... 4
Gordon, b h Galatea, aged, by Sunshine, 165 lbs..... 5

Galatea threw her rider at the first hurdle, and went it alone the balance of the race. She was stopped on the homestretch the last mile by the crowd, interfering considerably with the rest of the horses. Moonstone, Squire and Grey Cloud ran a close race from the start to the finish. On the horses rounding into the stretch for their run home, Grey Cloud, who had been the rear one of the trio, made his run and came up on even terms with Moonstone and Squire, the last hurdle being taken simultaneously by the three. At the finish there was not half a length's difference in this lot, Austrine being in the rear. A claim for foul was made against Moonstone, but it was not allowed.

Same Day.—\$100. Running; three-quarter mile heats; gentlemen's scurry. \$60, 40.

Mr Driscoll, b g Rival, aged..... 1 1
Dr Kirwin, ch m Austrine..... 2 2

Bonnie Brae and The Moor started, but were no place in the race; The Moor falling in the first heat.

Same Day.—\$250. Running; two-mile heats.

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TROTTING AT LONGUEUIL, P.Q.

Longueuil, P.Q., July 25.—\$200. Trotting. Open to all. Mile heats. \$100, 50.
Plante, ch m Village Girl..... 1 1 2 1
Noel, b m Alice..... 3 8 1 3
Menard, b m Pride..... 2 2 3 2
Time—2:35, 2:34, 2:37, 2:35.

TROTTING AT ST. HELAIRE, P.Q.

St. Helaire, P.Q., July 20.—\$20. Trotting. Mile heats; for country horses.
Mirard's grey gelding..... 2 1 1
M Dery's bay mare..... 1 2 2
A Campbell's Savagesse..... 3 3 2

No time.
Same Day.—\$40. Trotting. Mile heats. Open to country horses.

A Leve's Spotted Tail..... 0 1 2 1
A Campbell's Miller..... 0 2 1 2

No time.
Same Day.—\$100. Trotting. Mile heats.

W Wagon, b m Spook..... 1 2 3 1
M F Buchanan, ch g Ottawa..... 3 1 2 2
H Bothellier, g g Sauvage..... 2 3 1 3
L Armstrong, b h Iroquois..... 4 4 4 dr

No time.
Same Day.—\$. Double team race. Mile heats.

Mr Nieu's Belle Paule and Blonde..... 1 1
Mr Campbell's Loan and Sauvage..... 2 2

No time.

English Turf.

THE DERBY, OAKS, AND ST. LEGER OF 1879.

The predictions for these three important races have just closed, and were published on Thursday, July 12, in the official Racing Calendar. It will be seen, on referring to the table appended, that both the Derby and St. Leger show a very large increase in the number of subscribers, while the Oaks shows a decrease on the figures last year, which it will, however, be noted were unusually large.

1879: 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79
Derby: 191, 202, 217, 243, 251, 258, 261, 285
Oaks: 176, 139, 186, 142, 171, 177, 216, 188
St. Leger: 198, 193, 204, 197, 213, 219, 245, 287

TROTTING IN ENGLAND.

TROTTER MATCH BETWEEN AMERICAN HORSES.—A trotting match for \$500 came off at Alexandra Park, on Monday, 9th ult., between Mr. Henry Phillips' ch m Betsy Baker, and Mr. C. F. Webb's b m Norah, mile heat, 3 in 5, in harness, flying starts, with the following result:

SUMMARY.

Alexandra Park, London, July 9.—\$250 a side, mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness; flying starts.
Henry Phillips' ch m Betsy Baker..... 1 2 1 1
C F Webb's b m Norah..... 2 1 2 2
Time—5:10, 5:37, 5:55, 5:49.

There was a large attendance to witness the match and the excitement was intense during all the four heats trotted. Mr. Phillips' ch m American sulky, weighing 57 lbs., was much admired by the trotting fraternity of the English metropolis.

CANADIAN HORSES AT SARATOGA.

MARITIME.

The four race on July 26th, was for a purse of \$4; dash of 1½ miles; the winner to be sold at auction. Mr. Archie Fisher had Maritima in at \$500, which gave him an allowance of 7 lbs. Fugitive was the favorite, selling at \$550; Fair Play, \$225; George IV, \$205; A Coat, \$380; Garbriess, \$170; Ambush, \$1; Rappahannock, \$100; the field, \$50. Ambush was first away, Rappahannock second, Amish third, the others close together except Ella. Wotten who was left behind. Whether the horses passed the stand Rappahannock had his nose in front of Ambush, George IV, third, Ambush fourth, Fugitive fifth, Maritima sixth, Red Coat seventh, Bariss eighth, Fair Play ninth, Ella Wotten behind. Ambush had his head in front of Rappahannock as the horses ran around the upper turn, and he kept it in front to the quarter pole, Rappahannock second, Amish third, Fugitive fourth, George IV, fifth, Maritima sixth, Red Coat seventh, Bariss eighth, Fair Play ninth.

to the Ontario Rowing Club took place on Toronto Bay. The course was from the foot of Bay street eastward one mile and return. There were five entries and four starters, Scholes having withdrawn. The contestants were McCann, Elliott, Louden, and Douglas, and the start was made with the men in the position named, coming from the south side, where the boat containing the Judge, Mr. Scholes, was anchored. In the betting McCann was favorite against the field. The start was made at a quarter after seven, all getting off well together, McCann catching the water first, thereby gaining the lead. Owing to no arrangements having been made by which a continued view of the race could be had, a description cannot be given of it. On the way home the contest evidently lay between McCann and Douglas. The former did not appear to be making much of an effort to get to the front, and Douglas passed the line about a half boat's length ahead; Louden, 8; and Elliott, 4. The time is said to have been 14:48. A wide-spread spirit of dissatisfaction is felt in regard to the race for which it is hoped, for the good of aquatics, it can be established there is no foundation.

A CANADIAN YACHT CAPSIZED.

The Rochester, N. Y., Democrat and Chronicle of the 26th ult. contains the following paragraph:

"Captain M. D. Bates, of the Mollie Spencer, reached Charlotte about 7 o'clock last evening. He reports passing a vessel about ten miles E. N. E., from Charlotte that had a capsized sail boat alongside and the crew of the schooner seemed to be trying to right the yacht, as a rope was fastened from the rigging of the schooner to the mast of the yacht. After a while the yacht was righted and a line fastened to her when the vessel continued on her course towing the yacht. The schooner is believed to be the Nellie Theresa, which left Charlotte about noon bound for Sodus. It is thought that the sailboat is the Canadian yacht Fairy, of Hamilton, which has been for some days past at Charlotte and left yesterday, going down the lake with two Canadian gentlemen on board. Whether the men on board the yacht were rescued by the schooner or not is at present unknown. She was probably capsized by the squall and rain storm that passed over here about 4 o'clock."

ROWING RACES AT HAMILTON.

On Saturday, August 4th, it is proposed to row a four-oared race for cups on Burlington Bay, distance two miles, between the Leander Rowing Club of Hamilton, Argonaut Rowing Club of Toronto, and the Toronto Rowing Club. All three clubs have good crews and a most interesting race may be expected. The Leander crew, are rowing in a new boat built by Wharin, of Toronto. In addition to this four-oared race, there will most probably be a single scull race and also some scratch fours.

The Boston, Mass., Sunday Herald says: "A gentleman of Boston, who still believes in Hanlan's ability as an oarsman, is willing to match him against Plaiside for a three-mile race, the stakes to be \$500 a side. Hanlan has been written to, asking if he will row should Plaiside accept the challenge. The race, if rowed, will probably be pulled at Springfield.

The N. Y. Sportsman of last week speaks of Hanlan's letter as follows:—"Hanlan, the Canadian oarsman, comes off with a pretty straightforward story, in which he entirely repudiates the charges brought against him."

REVED.—The Rochester, N.Y., papers say that John Dugan and Charles Slater, in command of the yacht Fairy from Hamilton, Ont., were both rescued when their capsized boat was picked up by the schooner Theresa, after Friday's storm.

To Correspondents.

(No notice taken of anonymous communications or queries. No answer by mail or telegraph.)

CARDWELL, Arlington.—Mr. H. Gracey, of Weston, is the owner of War Cry.

Amusements.

CITY.

The excitement about the Dunkin' Aof, and the warm weather, interfere seriously with amusements. However the Holman Opera Co. closed their short season at the Horticultural Gardens on Wednesday night after playing to good business all the way through. They now retire to London for their summer holidays.

The advance agent of Howe's Great London Circus is in the city making arrangements for a tour of the country with the show.

The Royal Opera House will be opened early in September by Mr. Joe Murphy and a selected company to support him. The Lawrence Barrett combination follow shortly after.

GENERAL.

MONTEREAL.—John O'Brien's Circus and Menagerie exhibited on the Lacrosse Grounds on July 31, Aug. 1 and 2. They show at St. Eustache, Aug. 3, and St. Andrews, Aug. 4.

HALIFAX.—Business at the Academy of Music the past week rather dull. On 23, Mr. J. R. Grismer took his benefit; Ours, and Box & Cox Married and Settled, being the bill. In the latter piece Mr. F. D. H. Veith, a well-known city amateur took part. Same bill 24th. Colleen Bawn, to poor house, 25. Jessie Brown 26, 27, 28. The season will close about next week. McEvoy's Hibernica and Healey's Irish Minstrels, Temperance Hall, 30 and 31.—Boston English Opera Co. five nights, Academy of Music, commencing Aug. 18.—Letter dated July 30.—BLUE NOSE.



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OGDENSBURG RACES!

The Oswegatchie Agricultural Society offers the following Purse to be contended for on the Society's Grounds, at Ogdensburg, N. Y., during their

7th Annual Fair.

TO BE HELD ON

SEPT. 5, 6, 7, '77.

FIRST DAY—WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 5.

No 1—Trotting; Purse \$125. \$75 to 1st, \$35 to 2nd, \$15 to 3rd. Open to colts foaled in 1874. Mile heats to harness, best 2 in 3.

No 2—Running; Purse \$125. \$90 to 1st, \$35 to second. Single dash of one mile and 75 yards.

SECOND DAY—THURSDAY, SEPT. 6.

No 3—Trotting; Purse \$150. \$90 to 1st, \$45 to 2nd, \$15 to 3rd. Open to all horses that never beat a horse prior to Aug. 27, 1877.

No 4—Running; Purse \$225. \$150 to 1st, \$75 to second. Single dash of 1 mile and 4½ furlongs.

No 5—Trotting; Purse \$40. \$20 to 1st, \$85 to second, \$25 to third. Open to all horses that never beat 2:30 prior to Aug. 1, 1877.

No 6—Hurdle Race; Purse \$25. \$140 to 1st, \$40 to second, \$20 to 3rd. Single dash of 2 miles over 8 hurdles 8 ft. 6 in. high. Entrance \$5. Handicap. Weights announced Sept. 5.

THIRD DAY—FRIDAY, SEPT. 7.

No 7—Trotting; Purse \$400. \$235 to 1st, \$125 to second, \$40 to third. Open to all.

No 8—Running; Purse \$225. \$175 to 1st, \$75 to second. Single dash of 1 mile.

No 9—Steeplechase; Purse \$250. \$150 to 1st, \$75 to 2nd, \$25 to 3rd. Over a course about 2½ miles. Handicap. Weights announced Sept. 6. Entrance \$5.

No 10—Consolation Race; running; \$100. \$70 to 1st, \$30 to 2nd. Single dash of 1 mile and 75 yards. Open to all horses that have not won first or second money at this meeting.

RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Trotting Races will be mile heats, best 3 in 5 to harness, except in No. 1, and will be conducted under the Rules of the National Association. Entrance fee ten per cent. of purse.



HOLIDAY MEETING

WOODBINE, TORONTO.

SATURDAY & MONDAY, CIVIC HOLIDAY AUGUST 11th & 13th, 1877.

FIRST DAY

\$100—Trotting. For all horses owned within ten miles of Toronto, on the 1st of July, 1877, that have never beaten 3 minutes. \$60, 25, 10, 5.

\$150—Running. Dash of a mile and a half. Open to all horses, (bar Bill Bruce and Inspiration). T. C. W. Foreign-bred horses, 7 lbs extra. \$120, 20, 10.

\$200—Trotting. 2:37 class, (bar Alexander). \$120, 40, 25, 15.

SECOND DAY

\$175—Trotting. 2:40 class, (bar Alexander) \$110, 35, 20, 10.

\$150—Running. Half-mile heats, (bar Inspiration and Bill Bruce). T. C. W. Foreign-breds 7 lbs extra. \$120, 20, 10.

\$125—Running. Dash of a mile and a quarter. Weights, 8 yrs 131 lbs; 4 yrs, 146 lbs; 5 yrs and upwards, 159 lbs; Dominion-breds allowed 7 lbs.; Gentlemen riders allowed 5 lbs. \$100, 15, 10.

\$100—Steeplechase. For Dominion half bred horses, (bar Grey Cloud). Over the usual steeplechase course. Handicap, top weight 160 lbs, gentleman riders allowed 7 lbs. \$75, 25.

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

Dominion Rules to govern. Trotting to be mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. Entrance 10 per cent., and must accompany nomination. Half-forfeit in handicap. Mares and geldings allowed three pounds. No premium to distanced or ruled out horses.

Entries close on Wednesday, August 8th, and must be addressed to the Secretary, Turf Club House, 40 King St., West. No conditional entries.

Horses to be eligible at close of entries. 50 per cent. of first money for a walk-over.

Horses will be called sharp at 1:30 p.m.

Admission 50 cents, public stand free; Day Badge, admitting to club stand \$1. Ladies free.

The King street and Kingston Road Street Cars run to the entrance of the Park. Messrs. Quimby & Forbes Poolers.

P. COLLINS, Secy.



Waterloo D.P.A.

Will hold their Fall Meeting, on THURSDAY & FRIDAY,

AUGUST 23 & 24.

FIRST DAY

No 1—Purse \$150. Trotting. For horses owned, bred, and raised in the Province of Ontario, that have never beaten 3 minutes. First horse \$100, second \$35, third \$16.

No 2—Purse \$175. Running. For Dominion-bred horses only, (bar Maritima). Mile heats. First horse \$115, second \$40, third \$20. Weights for age.

No 3—Purse \$200. Trotting. For horses owned in Canada on the 1st of January, 1877, that have never beaten 2:37, (bar Alexander). First horse \$140, second \$40, 3rd \$20.

SECOND DAY

No 4—Purse \$150. Trotting. For horses owned in Canada, 1st of January, 1877, that have never beaten 2:45. First horse \$100, second \$35, third \$15.

No 5—Purse \$125. Running. For Dominion-bred horses only. Half-mile heats, 2 in 3. First horse \$80, second \$30, third \$15.