The Rose of Wentworth

Had she come all the way to Spain—had it been needful for her to suffer all that she had suffered during the past year, to be led hither in this strange way, under such peculiar cincumstances, in order to discover who she was, and to have the great enigma of her life revealed to her?

Arley could not endure the suspense another moment, and she moved her chair so as to face the couple.

"'I beg your pardon," she said, politely, but looking very white; "I could not help hearing what you both have said. Will you please tell me the name of the lady of whom you were speaking, and whom you say I so closely resemble?"

"Land alive, John, it's her very voice, too, or my ears deceive me," exclaimed the woman in a startled tone, to her husband, and regarding Arley more curiously than before.

The young lady began to tremble visibly, and it was only by a strong effort that she kept her teeth from chattering audibly—was she about to learn the truth at last?

"I am so glad," she said, after a moment, and to give them an opportunity to recover somewhat from their surprise, "to have found some of my countrymen here, for you perceive that I am English like yourselves. I came here hoping to hear of some one who might be about returning to England, but it is very strange, I think, that I should have chanced to sit just here and overhear what you have said. Will you please tell me of whom you were speaking?"

The man and the woman looked at each other in perplexity, the resemblance of which they had spoken was growing upon them every moment, until it almost seemed that the lady they had referred to stood again before them and was addressing them.

"Well, well, miss, this are very queer," the man said at last. "I don't think I'm dreamin', but if ye were not so young-looking, I sh'd say ye were the very leddy herself."

"Her name — please, tell me her name."

Arley could scarcely control her impatience.

But before the man could reply an attendant entered the room and announced that his excellency, the consul, had just received important dispatches calling him away, and he would therefore be unable to receive any visitors that day.

Upon hearing this, most of the people beat a hasty retreat, muttering their disappointment in no amiable mood, and Arley and her two strange companions were thus left the sole occupants of the room.

"Now we can converse undisturbed," she said eagerly as the last one departed, "and I will tell you why I am so anxious to learn the name of the people of whom you have spoken. There is a mystery hanging ove. my parentage, and I was separated from my parents by an accident at sea, and have never seen them since; so you perceive that it is not strange that I should think from what you have said that you could perhaps throw some light on this dark subject for me."

"Ah, miss," the woman said with a regretful shake of her head, as Arley paused and looked appealingly at her. "I'm sure no one could refuse to oblige a pleasant-spoken leddy like yourself if one could help it, but we don't know the name of the beautiful leddy, who looked like enough ye to be yer twin sister—"

"You don't know the name, Arley interrupted, in a tone of bitter disappointment, her heart sinking heavily at this intelligence.

"No, miss. Ye see this was the way of it. My husband and I had been on a long voyage from Portsmouth, England, to Bombay, in the Black Swan, a sailing vessel under Capt. Conway. We've been sailors together, miss, ever since we were married, he on the deck and I as stewardess; for, ye see, bein' rather fond o' one another"—and here the buxom dame blushed like a girl in her teens—"one didn't like to leave the other behind. Well, we'd hed a fine voyage most of the way till we entered the Bay of Biscay, when things began to look kind o' threatenin'. Just about sunset one day a great steamer passed us, and everybody on board looked so gay and smilin' as could be, and gave us three hearty cheers, with wa-in' handkerchiefs, as if they'd had a good passage so far, and were in high feather over it. She, the steamer, soon went out of sight, though, and we thought that was the last of her for us, and I couldn't help frettin' to think how much faster she sailed than the Black Swan, and how much sooner she'd reach port. But I had reason to thank heaven, miss, for the slow sailin' vessel afore many days. A storm blew up that night—such a storm as I hope never to be out in again. Me nor my old man never expected to set foot on land, and for three days and nights we didn't do much but pray. But the fourth day the wind went down some, and we knew the worst was over.

"Well, just as we were rounding Point St. Matthew we came upon the signs of a wreck — floatin' spars, boxes, kegs, stools, and such like, and later on during the day we saw a queer lookin' object to the leeward of us, with something like a white flag flyin' from it. Our captain thought it looked suspicious, and ordered his men to bear away toward it, and after a while he had a boat lowered and sent to see what it meant.

"It was well that we came upon it just as we did, for it proved to be a great chicken-coop, with a man and woman lashed to it, and both nearly dead from the cold, and bein' dashed about in the wild waves. They were brought aboard the Black Swan, and given up to me to see if I could find any life in them.

"The man came round all right after a while, but it was a tough job fetchin' the woman to, but she managed to weather it after a while, and then it was enough to break your heart to hear her take on.

" 'My baby—my Allie,' were the first words she said when she came to herself, and her husband, who never left her a minute after he got her senses back, bent over her and said in a hoarse voice, and his face as white as a sheet, Marg'ret don't you remember? Darlin' let us be thankful that we are spared to each other.'

"Upon that the leddy gave a scream and fainted dead away again. Well, it's no use tellin' you of the time I had with her, but she just about grieved herself to death, and couldn't bear her husband out of her sight for a single minute. Day in and day out he sat in the captain's state-room—for he gave it up to them and bunked it like a common sailor—holdin' her in his arms when she was awake, and talkin' in a soothin' way to her, but lookin' as if he were just ready to die with grief himself, when she was asleep, and he was left to his own thoughts. I had to feed her like a baby, for she was too weak to help herself, and she was so pretty and gentle that I couldn't help lovin' her with all my heart; while I'm free to confess I never did so much blubberin' in all my life as I did in those two weeks that we were making for Portsmouth, after we took them two castaways on board. But it was enough to break the stoutest heart to hear that poor mother grievin' for her lost baby.

"La, miss!" as Arley buried her face in her handkerchief and sobbed over the sad story, "I didn't mean to upset ye like that, though I can never tell about it without gettin' soft myself, for all it's more than eighteen years ago. But as for her name, I were so bound up in takin' care of the poor thing that I never once thought to ask who she were, and I never heerd the captain say. We sailed into Portsmouth harbor all right one fine morning, and after I had wrapped the leddy up in my warm shawl to be taken ashore—for the day was cold—she seized both my hands, and said with her white, tremblin' lips:

" 'Oh, you good woman, I ought to bless these hands that have helped to bring me back to life, and I do—I do for my husband's sake; but my heart is broken for my baby—my pretty angel, Allie.'

"The gentleman gave me a fifty-pound note, with a hearty 'Heaven bless ye,' just before he carried her up on deck, and I've never set eyes on either of them, nor heard one word about 'em since."

"Do you know the name of the steamer that they were on when they were wrecked?" Arley asked with almost breathless eagerness, when the woman ended her story.

[To be Continued.]

SARATOGA TRACK WAS IN VERY BAD CONDITION

Philadelphia Cricketers Beat Scots—Lipton's Boat Praised.

Umpire Keefe tells a thrilling story of a ball game which he umpired some years back between the Twin City and Lima teams. "The rivalry between these two teams was at fever heat," remarked O'Keefe, "and in the deciding game the most peculiar play was pulled off that I ever witnessed in a game of ball, as many as I have seen. It was in the ninth inning, when Lima was two runs ahead and Twin City had one down and three on bases. Hughey was pitching for Lima, and the next man up rapped a hard drive in his direction, which he gobbled up. Hughey thought the side retired and promptly put the ball in his pocket and started for the dressing room. The players yelled for him to come back, but Hughey thought they wanted the ball and kept on a dead run. Meanwhile three men on bases were busy scoring. When the pitcher refused to give up the ball his team mates overhauled him and tried to take it away. He still thought they wanted the ball, and refused to surrender it. A free-for-all scrap followed. Hughey was knocked down and the players almost tore his clothes off trying to get the ball, while the crowd was yelling like a lot of maniacs. The three men scored, winning the game for Twin City. But they never got the ball from Hughey. For all I know, he has it yet, but it was the last game of ball he ever twirled for Lima. This Hughey, however, was not the Shreveport pitcher, but some other minor league dub they had picked up."

THE TURF.

FORT ERIE RACES.

Fort Erie, Ont., Aug. 11. — The track was fast today and there was a good crowd in attendance. In the second race—a 5-furlong event for 2-year-old fillies—My Alice fell at the start and broke a leg. Summary:

First race, 7 furlongs, purse $250, for 3-year-olds and up, selling—Marionetta, 93 (Pierratt), 10 to 1, won by a neck; Commena, 109 (Romanelli), 10 to 1, 2; Fairbury, 109 (T. Dean), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:29½.

Second race, 5 furlongs, purse $250, for 2-year-olds, selling—Australina, 106 (Tooman), 4 to 5, won by a neck; Panacea, 104 (T. Walsh), 2 to 1, 2; Jim Ferrin, 104 (Pierratt), 15 to 1, 3. Time, 1:03.

Third race, 7 furlongs, purse $250, for 3-year-olds—Dynasty, 107 (Mountain), 5 to 1, won by half a length; Beguile, 105 (Hodgson), 2 to 1, 2; Hot, 102 (J. Walsh), 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:28½.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, purse $300, for 3-year-olds and up, selling—John Coulter, 98 (R. Martin), 6 to 1, won by a length; Basuto, 110 (Adams), 4 to 5, 2; Stella W., 99 (J. Walsh), 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1:54¾.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs, purse $300, for 2-year-olds—Orderly, 101 (D. Gilmore), 2 to 1, won by 1½ lengths; St. Juvenal, 111 (J. Walsh), 5 to 2, 2; Diamontina, 101 (Pierratt), 10 to 1, 3. Time, 1:03¾.

Sixth race, 1¼ miles, purse $250, for 3-year-olds and up, selling—Snare, 99 (Pierratt), 6 to 5, won by a head; Lady of the West, 100 (D. Boland), 8 to 1, 2; Lombre, 107 (Mountain), 4 to 1, 3. Time, 2:09.

AT SARATOGA.

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Aug. 11. — Another dark day and heavy going marked, but failed to mar, today's racing at the Spa. Some of the finishes were very close. The Delaware was the stake feature, and was won by James R. Keene's Gimcrack by three-quarters of a length, from Hunter Raines. James R. Keene's Ben Brush filly Birch Broom won the third, a selling race, from Flara, by a neck. Summary:

First race, handicap, 6 furlongs—Ada Nay, 113 (Fuller), 4½ to 1 and even, 1; Yardarm, 111 (Odom), 4 to 5 and out, 2; Futurita, 104 (Gannon), 20 to 1 and 4 to 1, 3. Time, 1:10¾.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—Jim Kelly, 110 (Bullman), 6 to 5 and out, 1; Gay Lothario, 104 (Michaels), 50 to 1 and 8 to 1, 2; Abdell, 104 (O'Neill), 40 to 5 and out, 3. Time, 1:12.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles, on turf—Birch Broom, 103 (Gannon), 6 to 5 and 2 to 5, 1; Flara, 101 (Creamer), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 2; Never More, 105 (Burns), 11 to 5 and 7 to 10, 3. Time, 1:52⅘.

Fourth race, the Delaware, 1 mile—Gimcrack, 102 (Gannon), 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, 1; Hunter Raine, 111 (Odom), 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, 2; Highlander, 111 (O'Neill), 5 to 2 and even, 3. Time, 1:46⅗.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—The Buck, 107 (Hicks), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 1; Redman, 109 (Creamer), 15 to 1 and 3 to 1, 2; Ex-Central, 104 (Weatherstrand), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:12⅘.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Tam O'Shanter, 107 (Gannon), even and 2 to 5, 1; Albany Girl, 105 (Fuller), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, 2; Pass Book, 107 (Larson), 50 to 1 and 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:47.

AT HARLEM.

Chicago, Aug. 11.—Bessie McCarthy, the outsider in the betting, proved an easy winner of the mile and a quarter handicap at Harlem today. The Ledean, at 40 to 1, captured the last race. Summaries:

First race, 5 furlongs—J. W. O'Neill, 8 to 5, 1; Banwell, 4 to 1, 2; Shaitan, 50 to 1, 3. Time, 1:01⅘.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Miss Manners, 15 to 1, 1; Ocean Dream, 11 to 5, 2; Lady Chariot, 15 to 1, 3. Time, 1:14⅘.

Third race, 1¼ miles—Bessie McCarthy, 5 to 2, 1; Bondage, 12 to 5, 2; John McGurk, 7 to 5, 3. Time, 2:08⅘.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Colonial Girl, 7 to 5, 1; Gallant, 12 to 1, 2; Wain-a-Molnen, 7 to 3, 3. Time, 1:44⅘.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Beautiful and Best, 30 to 1, 1; Floral Wreath, 10 to 1, 2; Eva's Darling, 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:14⅘.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—The Ledean, 40 to 1, 1; Frank Mac, 15 to 1, 2; Aliene Abbott, 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:49⅘.

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 11. — The feature of today's card at Delmar, an all-aged sprint of six furlongs, went to Croix d'Or, the longest priced in the race.

First race, 1 mile—Eufala, 16 to 5, 1; Brown Veil, 20 to 1, 2; Albero, 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1:44.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Fugurtha, 9 to 2, 1; Tom Crabb, 10 to 1, 2; Sweet Dream, 9 to 5, 3. Time, 1:15½.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—Cap and Gown, 6 to 1, 1; Allegrette, 9 to 1, 2; Our Lillie, 7 to 2, 3. Time, 1:11.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, handicap—Croix d'Or, 12 to 1, 1; Miss Mae Day, 4 to 1, 2; Maltster, 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1:15.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Hydrophobia, 16 to 5, 1; Little Lois, 5 to 2, 2; Whaleback, 20 to 1, 3. Time, 1:44.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs—Orleans, 6 to 1, 1; Joe Goss, 6 to 1, 2; Doe Skin, 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1:29.

TRIGGER.

BIG TORONTO TOURNEY.

The third annual tournament of the Dominion of Canada Trap Shooting and Game Protective Association will be held under the auspices of the Stanley Gun Club, of Toronto, on the 12th, 13th, 14th, and 15th of August. The two preceding tournaments were of such magnitude as to warrant the addition of the fourth day, and the association believes that on the dates mentioned will be seen the greatest target tournament ever held in Canada, and one of the best in America. The Ontario Jockey Club has kindly placed Woodbine Park at the disposal of the Stanley Gun Club for the purpose of the shoot. The association is each year adding to its membership, and it is hoped the time is not far distant when every gun and game club in Canada will have entered the fold, and thus permit of at least two tournaments being held each year—one in the east and another in the west. A special feature of last year's meeting, held in Hamilton, with 114 competitors, was the number of valuable trophies offered. The association reports that a considerable number have also been secured for 1903.

The clubs affiliated with the association are as follows:—Sherbrooke, G. C., Sherbrooke, P. Q.; Westmount, G. C.; Montreal, P. Q.; St. Hubert, G. C., Ottawa, Ont.; Brampton, G. C., Brampton, Ont.; Hamilton, G. C., Hamilton, Ont.; Brantford G. C., Brantford, Ont.; Hespeler G. C., Hespeler, Ont.; Guelph T. and G. Club, Guelph, Ont.; Ridgetown G. C., Ridgetown, Ont.; Maple G. C., Chatham, Ont.; Walkerville G. C., Walkerville, Ont.; Clinton G. C., Clinton, Ont.; Fort Garry G. C., Winnipeg, Man.; Toronto Junction G. C., Toronto Junction, Ont.; Toronto R. and G. Club, Toronto, Ont.; National G. C., Toronto, Ont.; Stanley G. C., Toronto, Ont.

CRICKET.

BEATEN BY PHILADELPHIA.

Edinburgh, Aug. 10. — The cricket match between the Philadelphia eleven and the gentlemen of Scotland, which began yesterday, when the Philadelphians made 302 runs in their first inning, was continued today. The Scottish team, on going in to bat, this morning, made a poor showing against the splendid bowling and fielding of the Philadelphians. At lunch time they had lost five of their wickets for the total of 36 runs. The Scotchmen were all out in their first inning for 145 runs. The tour of the Philadelphian cricketers is pronounced on all sides to be a great success. It is fully anticipated in cricket circles that they will return in another year or two with a challenge to an all English eleven, which may lead to regular contests between the United States and England; similar to the Anglo-Australian meeting. The Kent cricket team will go to America, at the end of August to play a series of matches. The tour of the Philadelphians will close on Thursday at Grantham, where the team will be the guests of Arthur Priestly, M. P. Most of the members will sail homewards on Saturday so that they will be back in time to play against the Kent eleven.

LACROSSE.

MOUNT FOREST WON.

Kincardine, Ont., Aug. 11. — An exhibition game of lacrosse was played here between the Mount Forest intermediate and Kincardine junior teams, resulting after a hard fought battle in favor of Mount Forest by six goals to four.

FOOTBALL.

ARE INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONS.

Berlin, Ont., Aug. 11. — The final match for the intermediate championship of the Ontario Association Football League championship was played here tonight between the Scots, of Toronto, champions of the eastern district, and Brussels, champions of the western district, and was won by the Scots after a hard struggle by a score of 2 to 1.

YACHTING.

PLEASANT WORDS, THESE.

New York, Aug. 11.—Sole survivor of the crew that manned the America when that schooner captured the Queen's Cup, Capt. Henry C. Hoffman, believes that the American yachtsmen have reached the end of their string of successes.

"Sir Thomas Lipton has a fine boat," says Hoffman, "I think the Irishman will 'lift the cup.' You may notice that there is very little betting, and our people are not crowing very loudly. It seems to me the Shamrock is a better boat than ours. It can stand rougher work. Our boat is too light. I must say it looks to me very doubtful for our side."

THE RING.

BEFORE THE BATTLE.

San Francisco, Aug. 11.—While letting is rather quiet on the big fight about to come off between Corbett and Jeffries, the lack of interest in this respect is more than made up by the enthusiasm which is being developed all over the country in the coming contest. The sale of seats for the contest will be one of the largest in the annals of pugilism in this city. The gate receipts, it is said, will amount to $50,000, and it is expected that nearly a third of the audience will be made up of visitors from out of town. A party is being made up as far away as Philadelphia, and reservation made of a block of 20 seats. Both the men are now tapering off in their training. Corbett still does a fair amount of work, but it is principally limited to physical culture movements. At Harbin Springs Jeffries is finishing up work, and will arrive here on Thursday to enter the ring on Friday evening. Both men are said by experts to be in the pink of condition.

IS IN FINE CONDITION.

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—James J. Corbett was today examined by Dr. Clarence E. Tillman, the official physician of the Yosemite A. C. He was pronounced in perfect health. Tonight Corbett took a jaunt on the road and practiced with the gloves in the gymnasium. Like Jeffries he varies his work with pleasure to avoid a nervous strain. Jeffries will move from Harbin Springs to Oakland tomorrow and will be a guest of the Reliance Club until Friday night. Delaney is delighted with his condition and say he will win.

BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn—		R.	H.	E.
New York	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	4	0
Brooklyn	0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 *	2	5	0

Batteries—McGinnity and Warner; Garvin and Ritter. Umpire, Hurst. Attendance, 2,000.

At Philadelphia—All games postponed until the 15th, on account of the grand stand accident.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Boston—		R.	H.	E.
Boston	2 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 *	5	10	2
Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	1	7	3

Batteries—Hughes and Criger; Waddell and Schreckengost. Umpire, Hassett. Attendance, 10,600.

At Cleveland—				
Cleveland	0 0 1 0 0 0 3 0 *	4	7	0
Chicago	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 2	2	10	3

Batteries—Joss and Abbott; Owen and Slattery. Umpires, O'Loughlin and Connolly. Attendance, 2,513.

At New York—				
New York	0 6 2 0 0 5 1 2 *	16	19	3
Washington	0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	2	4	5

Batteries—Howell and Beville; Orth and Drill. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 1,097.

EASTERN LEAGUE.

At Toronto—		R.	H.	E.
Toronto	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	5	4
Jersey City	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 2 0	3	8	1

Batteries—Wolfe and Toft; Pfannmiller and McManus. Umpire, Brown. Attendance, 2,500

At Rochester—				
Rochester	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	8	1
Montreal	2 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0	6	13	1

Batteries—Fertsch and Steelman; Whaler and Kellackey. Umpire, Kelly. Attendance, 112.

At Buffalo—				
Buffalo	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	3	7
Newark	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0	3	5	2

Batteries—McGee and Shaw; Hesterfer, Walsh and Shea. Umpire, Swartwood. Attendance, 3,073.

At Baltimore—				
Baltimore	2 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 *	3	9	1
Providence	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	4	2

Batteries—Burchell and Robinson; Viau and Westlake. Umpire, Cauliflower. Attendance, 610.

LUCAN WON BOTH.

Lucan, Aug. 10. — On Saturday the Irish Nine returned from Brussels and Wingham, where they succeeded in defeating both teams at baseball. The Irishmen were decidedly too fast for the Brussels boys, and at no time was the result of the game in doubt. At Wingham the contest was a closer one, with considerable trouble thrown in, which started before the game itself, at 4:30 p.m. Manager McLean, of Wingham, stepped into the umpire's box and called the game, notwithstanding the fact that he was notified that Manager Hawkshaw had taken advantage of a privilege that is customary, for the visiting team to furnish the umpire. After some little delay the game proceeded with Umpire Porte handling the indicator. Wingham could do nothing with Walter Gibson's twisters, showing clearly that they are decidedly weak at the bat, having made only four hits off him. Scores by innings:

At Brussels—		R.	H.	E.
Lucan	1 0 1 4 3 4 1 0 *	14	14	4
Brussels	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	1	4	9

Batteries—Ward and Tripp; Ardell, Hamilton and Ballantyne.

At Wingham—				
Lucan	0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0 0	4	8	3
Wingham	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	1	4	3

Batteries—Gibson and Tripp; Doyle and Donn.

WILL DONATE A CUP.

It is understood that Mayor Beck has decided to donate a cup for the City League championship, under the following conditions:

1. The cup is offered for the championship of the league as long as the league is conducted on an amateur basis, and as long as the rules of the league furnish guarantees satisfactory to the donor that the clubs and their players are playing in the league as amateurs.

2. After the cup is awarded in any season it shall remain in the custody of the winning club until the termination of the following season.

3. The cup shall become the property of any club winning it for two seasons in succession.

PRESIDENTS IN SESSION.

New York, Aug. 11.—The presidents of the three largest baseball leagues held an informal meeting in this city today. Those present were Ban Johnson, of the American League; President Pulliam, of the National League, and President Powers, of the Eastern League. A proposed new national agreement was discussed, but nothing definite accomplished. It was decided to increase the committee to nine members, instead of three, each president being empowered to name two or more members of each organization. The meeting was adjourned until Aug. 25, when the committee of nine will meet again at Saratoga.

WHEEL.

ARTHUR PLATT WON RACE.

Mr. Arthur Platt won the second heat of the Masonville road race last evening. A good-sized crowd watched the start of the race, and it proved to be close and interesting. The following is a list of the riders as they finished: First, Arthur Platt; second, A. M. Learn; third, N. South; fourth, Frank Morris; fifth, E. Byset.

SUSPENDED RIDERS.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 11.—A. C. W. A. bulletin issued today says: The following riders are suspended for two months, from July 2, 1903, for riding in an unsanctioned race held at Cape Breton Trotting Park, Sydney, N. S., July 2—K. O. Ayer, North Sydney, N. S., and D. R. Miller and J. McKenna, Sydney, N. S. The following riders are transferred to the professional class for riding for money at Craighurst, Ont., on July 1, 1902—Norman G. Paxton and James A. Key.

NEW LINE TO VANCOUVER

The Southern Pacific Company After an Entrance.

Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 12. — The Daily Province says that a representative of the Harriman railway interests is in Vancouver to view possible sites for terminals on Vancouver harbor, and says that it is the intention of his principals to build into Vancouver from Spokane.

This representative is quoted as saying that the Vancouver connection would give the Harriman lines a through transcontinental system 600 miles shorter from the Pacific coast to New York than any other American line, and that the intention was to handle Alaska, Yukon and Oriental shipments by way of Vancouver. The promoters believed they could handle passenger business to all parts of the North at least a day quicker than lines which center in Seattle.

COSTLY SPORT

Man Fined $50 for Shooting a Cuckoo.

New York, Aug. 12.—An expensive visit was the one that Stephen Van Buren, of Brooklyn, made among friends at Mount Bethel, near Plainfield, N. J., Saturday and Sunday. Being fond of hunting and fishing, he took with him his dog and gun and started out Saturday morning to look for game.

He had been hunting only half an hour when a cuckoo perched high on the limb of a tree offered a tempting shot. Being unfamiliar with the fish and game laws of New Jersey, the city man blazed away, bringing the bird to the ground with the first shot. Soon afterwards Fish and Game Warden Hawkins and Deputy L. C. Wickoff came upon the scene, and finding the dead bird in Van Buren's possession placed him under arrest.

He was taken to the office of Justice of the Peace Cooper at Warrenville. After explaining the fish and game laws of New Jersey and the penalty for violating them, the aged justice imposed a fine of $23 45 for killing the cuckoo and another fine of $28 58 was exacted from the prisoner for being a non-resident gunner.

Van Buren paid both fines. He resides on South Oxford street, Brooklyn.

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Foot Elm relieves that hot, burning sensation, checks excessive and offensive perspiration of the feet, and prevents blistering, swelling and chafing.

It rests tired feet, soothes sore feet and makes walking pleasant even on hot days. Price 25 cents a box of 18 powders, at druggists, or by mail.

A. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont. Jury, Bowmanville, Ont.

BABIES AND THIEVES

Articles Transferred to the Children's Bonnets.

New York, Aug. 12.—Two babies, according to the police, aided their mothers in shoplifting yesterday afternoon. The women were arrested and the store detectives say they were so skillful that they are evidently old offenders. One of the women also had her 9-year-old son with her.

The store detectives were first attracted to them when they kept taking off their babies' bonnets and laying them on the counters. Then one of the detectives noticed that when the bonnet was again placed upon the infant's head it contained some article from the counter.

The babies put their little hands to their bonnets and held them on tight, showing, the detectives say, that they were well trained. Then one woman would stand in front of the other while the stolen articles were being transferred from the bonnet to the front of the other woman's loose waist.

Detectives Dittman and Rose Meeagh made the arrests. Policeman Brosnahan, of the West Thirtieth street station, was called in and the women were searched. Many lace doilies, pocketbooks, handkerchiefs and other small articles were found on them. They were taken to the station in the patrol wagon.

There the women gave their names as Mrs. Rosa Losi, 33, of No. 40 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and her baby Lorma, 3 years, and son John, 9. The other woman said she was Mrs. Nellie Mester, of No. 72 West One Hundred and Ninth street, and that her 23 months old baby's name was Nellie.

There was an affecting scene when they were told that the children could not be taken to the cells with them. Both women wept and kissed the little ones many times. Sergt. Wall telephoned to the Children's Society, and they said both of the Losi children would have to be removed to that institution, but that the Mester woman could keep her baby as it was too young to leave its mother.

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