THE HOMES ON THE ISLAND

WHERE SOME OF TORONTO'S CITIZENS LIVE DURING SUMMER.

Descriptions and Chat About Cool Retreats at Hanlan's Point and Mead's—The Families Who Live in Tents—Toronto's Great Resort.

Two afternoons of this week were spent by one of The World's numerous young men in wandering up and down, across and over the Island, and in and out among the cottages and tents, and he has found that there are about 120 families living on the sandy strip, about fifty being at Hanlan's Point and seventy at the middle part of the Island, known as Mead's. Everything considered it is truly a pleasant place to spend the summer months, with blue Ontario rolling in front of one's door and a cooling, invigorating breeze always blowing so freshly as to make one regret having to return to the hot, noisy city only a mile or so away.

There are some handsome houses at the Point and other equally handsome at Mead's. The Point is the resort of the promiscuous public, including the roystering young man and the fresh young woman; it is the happy hunting ground of the fakir who gathers about him just the sort of crowd that he wants. I is all crush, sand, sidewalk, hotels, refreshment booths, family picnic parties and lunch baskets. Mead's, on the contrary, is a quiet place with a quiet hotel, plenty of green grass and trees and pleasant walks in different directions over the lagoons. Hanlan's is the place to go if you want to see the people, be seen yourself, and hear the band and the big hurdy-gurdy; Mead's is the place if you dislike too many people about you and if you want to spend a quiet afternoon with a book, a girl or a lunch basket.

What a place the Island is for children—and dogs! Bless their little hearts, (the children are meant) they fairly revel in the most innocent dissipation, running about with bare legs, lately clean clothes, half wet and sprinkled with sand, digging on the beach, wading in the water or taking a dip and their first swimming lesson. There are to be seen the youngsters of wealthy, aristocratic and sometimes fastidious people who allow them to run about and do as they please, for they are free from danger. Their faces, arms and legs are burned brown, but they will be all the better for it, growing strong and sturdy instead of playing the prim with stiff-starched linen and milk-white faces. As for the dogs they are everywhere. Every cottage and tent on the Island has at least one dog and some have two and three. Dogs bark from every door step and from behind every tent-flap.

Cosy Homes at Hanlan's Point.

Starting along the walk from the Hotel Hanlan one does not come to any family residence until Heber's is passed. Of course there are scores of small tents where young city fellows hang out all summer and delight in cooking their own meals, washing their own dishes and making their own beds. These are scattered thickly on the shore of Blockhouse Bay between John Hanlan's boat house and Heber's wharf. Then there are about fifteen tents ranged along the sandbar, on which the Turner baths are situated.

Just beyond Heber's is a row of large and small tents, most of which are elegantly furnished. These are: "Bluebell," Mr. D. Bell, the organ man; "Rosebud," Mr. Perry, man; "Idylwild," Mr. Fairbairn; "Seagull," Mr. George Bailey, the cheery merchant; a nameless tent, Mr. W. Blair, the boot and shoe man; "The Mammoth," a six by four, Percy Thompson and Master McCausland; "Fairy," Messrs. Wm. Darlington and Joseph Johnston and families; "Gipsy," Mrs. Harris; "Wigwam," Mr. Atkinson; a pretty blue and white tent, Mr. D. Frances.

In one half of an old low white house on the west of the sidewalk live Mrs. Dewe, Miss Pechel and Miss Radcliffe; and in the other half lives Mr. J. Simpson.

Next is Clarke's grocery store, which supplies all the houses with provisions. Then comes "Live Bollard's retreat."

"Windermere" is occupied by Mr. J. E. Thompson, while a place at the rear is the house of Mr. Thomas.

"Moneith" is the name of Mr. Halliday's home.

"Noname" is the paradoxical name of the handsome brown cottage of Ald. John Ritchie, who has great fun in listening to the guesses of some passers-by as to what it means, some twigging and others pronouncing it "Non-a-me." Mr. Ritchie has two fine green lawns in front of his place.

The next house is unoccupied, but it has some interest attached to it, for this was the home of the Independent Club, whose liquor was recently seized and destroyed, and whose president was fined $20 and costs for infraction of the liquor bylaw. The Independents leased it for a year, but although there is a good purchaser for it they will not give up possession. Last year it was known as "Yum Yum" cottage, and occupied by a select party of twelve young gentlemen.

In the rear is the house of Mr. R. Barber.

"Far Niente" is the home of Mrs. Rathburn.

S. F. Wilson of Truth has a charming place in "West View."

"Loyal Mr. Lear calls his place "Jubilee Cottage."

"Narragansett Cottage" is where Mrs. Newton lives.

Mr. C. C. Pomeroy tents it next door.

Mr. J. F. Ellis and Mr. R. B. Ellis are next door neighbors in pretty houses.

"Zareba" is what Mrs. Hamilton calls her cosy home.

"Neminisikenok" is a word which tries to cover up the front of the cottage occupied by Mrs. H. Wade. It is a puzzler to the passer-by who tries to pronounce it.

A model summer residence is "Wahsakumic" where Mr. Robert Marshall has lived for several seasons. Its lawns are perfect, an arbor of trees extends from the gate to the door, a wide verandah surrounds the house and everthing speaks comfort.

Capt. Harston lives in a white cottage surrounded by elms and partly covered with Virginia creeper.

"Rendezvous" is the pretty name of the pretty cottage where lives Capt. Wm. Armstrong, who is always the first to move to the Island and the last to leave.

In the yard of "Tullamore" the home of Mr. H. Fuller, the front of which is covered with Virginia creeper, is a lofty pole from which floats the Union Jack.

Capt. Villiers Sankey has a neat place, a sort of symphony in whitewash and green paint.

Mr. Dennis, of Dennis & Sons, builders, will soon occupy the next house, opposite which is a wharf with a signboard where fine fun is enjoyed in the water.

"Tipperary" indicates the nationality of Mr. H. D. P. Armstrong ("Larry"), the insurance man. Gravel, trees and shrubbery make it an attractive spot.

"Westward Ho!" is an airy place, richly furnished and occupied by Messrs. Arthur Tilley and Henry Gamble.

A big roomy house is "Sahara," fittingly named because it is sand all about. Col. Sweeney, of Abyssinian fame, has his headquarters here.

"Bleak House" is not a bleak house. Mr. James Phillips of the Standard Bank is the occupant.

Judge Osler and his family get the fresh air in a large white house of many gables.

"The Moorings," with a pole and Union Jack in front, is where Mr. S. F. McMaster and his family are anchored.

Mr. Patrick Hughes owns the next house, but he has not yet occupied it this season.

Mr. E. P. Pearson's residence is a study in grey entitled "Fairview."

Capt. Murray holds the fort in a large brown house with patent tin roof and a small look-out tower. The Captain is one of the oldest Island residents, and though he has lived in every quarter of the globe, he finds the Island the pleasantest place to summer in that he has yet struck. He has plenty of leisure, he has studied the Island question, and at his suggestion, and with the assistance of Mr. John Small, he got the Council to put down groins just south of his place, along the shore. The result is that these groins, costing less than $500 have already made three to five acres of land, protected the front, and improved the beach. If men of information were further consulted a scheme could be formulated that would "save the Island."

Buff with brown trimmings is the make-up of "Ichabod" where lives Mrs. N. Weatherstone and her family. There is a story attached to this name. A few years ago the house was occupied by a party of sixteen bachelors. They had a good time and enjoyed themselves, but "their glory hath departed"—and hence "Ichabod." For the past three years the house was unoccupied except when the Island residents used to hire it for parties, as it contains a fine big room for dancing. It has been greatly improved this season and had already had a house-warming.

Mr. J. H. Lemaitre, the organist of St. Michael's Cathedral, and Mr. J. M. Maloney occupy the next house. This was formerly known as "Kilmainham," when a jovial party of Irish bachelors held out and deemed it not a prison.

"Sandilands," with sand and land enough for three more houses, is the home of Prof. Loudon of University College. During his absence abroad Mr. W. F. Maclean is in occupation.

Mr. A. W. Croil calls his house "Keppoch," after his birthplace in Scotland. Mr. Croil spends six hours a day in sailing or fixing his boat.

Next is the home of George Durnan, jr., the fisherman, then the cheery Lakeside Home for Little Children.

In front of the lighthouse is a small house chiefly noted for having a Union Jack, a big dog and a goat, and for being the summer home of Mr. Wm. Hamilton, Superintendent of the Waterworks.

And that is all of Hanlan's Point.

Summer Cottages at Mead's.

From the Lighthouse to Ward's Hotel at the east end and along the lake front, with a magnificent view over the blue water and of the vessels and steamers entering and leaving Toronto, is a long line of summer houses, of every style. Back of these and scattered all over on the strips of land between the various lagoons are other houses, and in one place there is a group of large tents. While nearly every house at Hanlan's Point has its name there are not over half a dozen at Mead's that are named.

Starting eastwards along the lake shore the first house one notices is that of Mr. Fred. W. Gibbs, the Front-street commission merchant.

Mr. Bruce Harman is next in order.

Then comes the summer residence of Bishop Sweatman, a large white house of two and a half stories, with verandah and balconies.

Immediately to the east is the pretty little Episcopal Church of St. Andrew's-on-the-Island, where His Lordship or Canon Dumoulin officiates every Sunday.

The houses of Messrs. E. D. Armour, W. Macdonald and H. L. Moffatt come next, the three being supplied with water drawn from the lake by a windmill.

Mr. J. E. Robertson, the lawyer, prepares his briefs in a neat house.

In two houses standing farther back than the others live Mr. W. A. Reeve and Mr. M. McLaughlin, the miller.

Mr. Edgar Jarvis had a big plastered house on the corner where the centre walk from Mead's to the lake ends.

Then comes the retreat of Mr. W. J. Whittee, the King-street hardware merchant.

On the verandah of the next house, over which wave the branches of a couple of big poplars, may often be seen Canon Dumoulin, Rector of St. James' Cathedral.

Messrs. A. J. Robertson and F. O. Cayley are the owners and occupants of two nicely finished houses.

When Assignee E. R. C. Clarkson gets through with the cares of unravelling other people's business tangles, he hurries to his pretty Island home, made attractive with ivy, flowers, shrubs and white stones.

Mr. C. S. Gzowski, jr., is the occupant of a house with a fine front.

And so is Mr. Robt. Darling.

Mr. Chas. Hooper, the druggist, has flowers growing in profusion, and a bridge crossing a small lagoon leads to his house and those of Messrs. W. W. Parkes and D. W. Thompson.

For seven summers Mr. J. T. Rolph has lived in the house which he now occupies. It and the next two houses are fronted with fine green lawns.

Messrs. Alex. Keith, D. S. Keith, Geo. Keith and J. C. Forbes, the artist, have a nice cottage.

Next is that of Mr. James Price of the Dominion Bank.

"Brightside" is the name of the cheery home of Mr. P. J. McNally.

Dr. W. T. Aikens's house is surrounded by lofty pines.

Mr. John Mason, of Cooper & Smith, occupies a big house situated in the middle of a wilderness of land. The uncompleted breakwater ends here, and from this point east there is no beach.

Probably the finest, largest and most complete private residence on the Island is that of Mr. Geo. Gooderham. It is two and a half stories high, clapboarded and painted yellow with brown trimmings. Around it are rows of healthy young maples. It has all the appointments of a city residence.

The Blackstock Brothers, T. G. and G. T., occupy similar houses just east of Mr. Gooderham's, all three being immediately south of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club, to which a good sidewalk gives access.

Mr. H. C. Hammond and his family have occupied "Solyst" for the past few weeks, but they leave to-day.

Mr. David Ward lives in a little white (washed) house by the sea.

Mr. Robt. Sutherland and Mr. Fred W. Lee, of the Consumers' Supply Company, have the next houses.

A double house is occupied by Mr. Geo. Gagen and R. F. Gagen.

Next in order come Mr. F. Sheriff, Mr. Leopold Goldman, of the North American Life Assurance Company, and Mr. Henry Langley, the architect.

The last house on the lake front is one occupied by Mr. L. R. J. Richardson and Mr. Joseph Blackstock.

Facing the sidewalk leading from the lake front back to Mead's Hotel the first house noticed is "Hiawatha Cottage," the residence of Mr. John H. Hargrave.

"Sandilands" is a pretty, salmon-colored house where resides ex-Ald. John Taylor.

Others are occupied by Mr. Grant Francis, Mr. Fred. Steward and Island Constable Gray.

Back of the lake front and west of the sidewalk from Mead's are the houses of Mr. Geo. Bartlett, Mr. Philip Todd and Mr. William Wedd.

East of the dividing sidewalk is first the grocery store of W. A. Clarke & Co., who have the control of all the business on the Island.

"Tymasorah," which is Old Irish for "summer house," is the home of Mr. E. M. Chadwick. It is situated between Mr. Gooderham's place and the R.C.Y. Club.

A beautiful spot is that occupied by Mr. C. H. Sproule, the Provincial Auditor, just across a lagoon from the R.C.Y. Club. The water is within a few feet of the door and there is easy access by boat. Everything is green and blooming. Mr. Geo. F. Sproule also lives here.

Other houses on this portion of the Island are those of Messrs. Thornton Todd, John McBrien, John Willis, Joseph Goodwin, Murray, Swift and Brush and Mrs. Scrivener.

There is quite a tent village back of Mead's Hotel and the inhabitants are Messrs. Archibald Ferguson, Joseph Patterson, D. Pike and Archer Watson with their families. Messrs. M. C. Booth and Rutter are also living in tents with their families.

The Island's Advantages.

The Island has great advantages, whether it be at Hanlan's, Mead's or Ward's. There are, to use modest figures, at least 120 families living there temporarily, and these will average ten persons each. That makes 1200, and with the few hundreds of young men camping and the people in the hotels the total will easily reach 2000. There are postoffice boxes and postal deliveries, police, early and late boats, and a combined newspaper delivery early in the morning, The World heading the list with over one hundred papers daily. There is excellent rowing and sailing, and the bathing is splendid, whether at the Baths or along the beach in front of the houses, out of which at all hours children and ladies may be seen hurrying to the water for a dip.

Go to Island by Themselves.

There is a small island on the east of the big Island, and on the east side of the Eastern Gap. It is an isolated spot, and those who would reach it must get there by row or sail boat. Among the families there are those of Mr. Phillips, the Church-street painter; Mr. Chas. Pickering, the druggist; Mr. H. J. Darrien, of the Darrien Silver Plate Company; Mr. Thos. P. Phelan, the railway news man; Mr. Thos. Buckley and Messrs. R. & C. Platts, the tailors.

—Why, what is this great beverage which is
" vigor to the worktime,
" nourishment to the mother,
" strength to the weak,
" cheerfulness to the despondent,
" invigorating to the sick?
It is Davies Brewing Co.'s Family Cream Ale. 246

PRINCE FERDINAND ACCEPTS.

He Notifies the Sobranje that He Accepts the Bulgarian Throne.

TIRNOVA, July 7.—Prince Ferdinand of Saxe Coburg Gotha, replying to the Sobranje's despatch informing him of his election as Prince of Bulgaria, said he was proud of the honor conferred upon him, and grateful for it. "I hope," he added, "to prove myself worthy of the confidence of the Bulgarian people. I am ready to respond to the call and to devote myself to the service of Bulgaria as soon as the Porte accepts the election and the Powers recognize it." The Prince's answer was received with satisfaction by the Sobranje.

The Obstacles in the Way.

BERLIN, July 8.—The Coburg Zeitung, (semi-official) in an article on the election of Prince Ferdinand, says: "In view of the attempts of the Bulgarian party of independence to draw Prince Ferdinand into its confused affairs, we must point to the fact that a German prince, such as Prince Ferdinand, cannot accept a crown without permission of the House to which he belongs, nor without the consent of Emperor William, and until their consent is obtained nothing can be settled.

NEWS OF STANLEY.

The Intrepid Commander of the Emin Bey Expedition Pushing On.

LONDON, July 8.—The latest news from Stanley is that on the journey from Leopoldville to Leonkoteela he encountered and had to overcome serious obstacles. One of the gravest difficulties he found was to replenish his commissary. The threatened scarcity of provisions greatly excited a number of his men and it became necessary to punish the malcontents with much severity to reduce them to subjection and save the expedition. Stanley himself is ill from the excessive heat.

The expedition left Bolobo on May 11 and was expected to reach the Congo at its confluence with the Arenhim by July 6. Stanley's program was to encamp at this point, there to await the arrival of Tippoo Tip, who is approaching from Stanley Falls with provisions and a force of several hundred more men.

FRENCH AFFAIRS.

It Is Probable the Mobilization of the Army Will be Postponed.

PARIS, July 8.—M. Rouvier has informed the Budget Committee of the Chamber of Deputies that the Superior Railway Commission is opposed to the proposed experiment of mobilization of the army on the ground that the delay in the transportation service are too great. The mobilization will probably be postponed.

The party of the Extreme Left have decided to raise the question of the entire policy of the Government. M. Rouvier has accepted the challenge and the debate will open next Monday.

Lost Licenses and the Queen's Jubilee.

A petition addressed to "the Mayor and aldermen of the city of Toronto" is in circulation. It emanated from a number of those who have recently been deprived of their license to dispense intoxicants. It set forth that seventy-four persons had thus been deprived of their means of livelihood; that and Fleming bylaw was not a square issue; that, on the authority of a leading temperance advocate "the cutting off of 50 or 100 liquor shops would not decrease the sale of liquor by one pint;" and that in view of the approaching Exhibition the "accommodation for man and beast" is not excessive. The petitioners earnestly prayed that the Council "in the plenitude of its mercy" would "mark this grand jubilee year of our noble Queen by an act of grace in serving mercy to those whose hearts are now filled with gloom and sadness by an act which will do service to no good cause, whilst it bears cruelly on its victims." The petitioners, therefore, called upon the Council "to recommend a further extension of licenses sufficient to cover the balance of the year, and thus do honor to the Queen's jubilee."

Ploughs in Aurora.

One of the most widely famed manufactories in Canada is that of the Wilkinson Plough Company of Aurora, Ont. This firm have been operating for many years and have attained a deservedly high reputation. The great reason of their success in the plough trade is that they use only the best material that can be obtained. They use a high and expensive grade of soft centre steel in the mouldboards that is tempered as hard as glass and cleans in any soil. They also use steel beams and coulters and make steel points for every plough. The excellence of their work has procured them a patronage of a keen race with which has given them the largest plough works in Canada, employing over sixty skilled workmen and with a capacity of fifty ploughs per day. They have warehouses in Montreal and do a very large trade in the Maritime Provinces as well as in Manitoba and the Northwest. Hundreds of dollars in prizes have been given these ploughs, which are without a rival in this country. This firm also manufacture a solid steel drag scraper that is popular in all parts of the country.

Fakir John Assaulted.

About 9.30 last night a young man, apparently 19 years of age, voted himself a patron of John Ryan's fake at the Island. He purchased a set of the circles for 5 cents and made his play, claiming that he "covered" and demanding the prize. Mr. Ryan objected that the player had not "covered," which is nothing more or less than casting one of the wafer circles exactly over one of those nailed down on the deal board. The feat is remarkably difficult. Ryan would not give up the prize. The crowd standing around sided in with the player, and some of them urged him to demand justice. This he did by striking Ryan four or five lively and telling blows. He would have gone further but for the interference of the spectators. The young man then walked away, shortly to be followed by Ryan. The latter wanted his assailant arrested, but up to the departure of the last boat the said assailant was not visible to the naked eye of the policemen on duty.

The Herr Piano Company.

A company of prominent Toronto capitalists have purchased the piano manufacturing business of Herr & Co. on Duke-street. Among the new shareholders are D. Mitchell Macdonald, David Blain, Almont A. Allan, John Donaldson, Mr. Milne and Jacob Herr. The capital is $75,000. A lot has been secured south of the Esplanade and east of the sugar works, 70x400 feet, on which will be erected a large manufactory with the latest improved machinery, sufficient to turn out at least twenty-five instruments a week. Mr. Herr and his foreman are now in New York collecting information, inspecting machinery and building conveniences. Mr. Sheard will be the architect. The present factory is turning out nine instruments a week. Mr. Herr's father is a large piano maker in Germany; besides this he has had experience in America. At present they cannot overtake their orders.

Special to the Ladies of Toronto.

We strongly recommend our readers to carefully peruse Mr. McKeown's advertisement in another column. Such inducements to the purchasing public as the popular dry goods house offers during this their semi-annual clearing sale are not to be overlooked. The quality and superiority of the dress goods and silks kept at this establishment always commands a large share of patronage, but when such inducements are offered the purchasing public ought to go fairly wild with delight at having the opportunity of buying fine dry goods at such sacrificing prices. Those Japanese silks mentioned in advertisement are simply magnificent. See them. In a word, 282 Yonge-street is having a rushing time.

Notes of Amusement.

Last performances this afternoon and to-night of "Zozo" at the Toronto, which closes for the season.

The annual moonlight excursion of the Toronto Opera House employes takes place next Friday night.

The Davidson Novelty Company will open a short engagement at Aurora on Saturday, July 16. The company comprises some good artists and will give a good show.

Steamship Arrivals.

At New York: City of Chester, from Liverpool; Ireland, from Copenhagen. Britanic, from Liverpool.

RACING AT NIAGARA FALLS

TORONTO'S SHEPPARD PITCHES A GREAT GAME AT NEWARK.

Shelburne Leads in the Northwestern Lacrosse District—U. S. Athletes Leaving England—Standing of International Pitchers—Other Sports.

NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y., July 8.—Ever since the races began here the weather has been growing warmer and the roads leading to the course becoming more dusty. The attendance to-day was not quite as large as yesterday, but the interest in the races is increasing.

First race, purse $300, of which $50 to 2d; for 3-year-olds and upwards, light welter weights. ¾ mile.

Excelsior Stable's b.h. Brambleton, 4, by Bramble—Valerian, 146..(F. McLaughlin) 1
J. C. Smith's ch.h. Rock-and-Rye, 4, 146 ..... (Caldwell) 2
J. E. Sogram's b.g. Lelex, 4, 145 ..... (Wise) 3
H. J. Woodford's b.h. Bill Brien, 146 ..... (Wyburn) 0
Q. Morton's ch.g. Sir George, 4, 146..(Warder) 0
Excelsior Stable's ch.g. Pat Dennis, 4, 145 ..... (Johnson) 0
F. R. Stewart's br.g. Jet Cresson, 4, 145 ..... (Meehan) 0
J. Mason & Son's b.m. Pink Cottage, 4, 148 ..... (Goodall) 0
E. W. Price's g.m. Fairy Dan, 3, 131...(Chase) 0
Time—1.17¼.

Pools: Brambleton $20, Pink Cottage $10, Lelex $8, field $15. Mutuels paid $8.65.

The race: A delay was caused by the breaking of one of Rock-and-Rye's saddle girths. When the flag fell Brambleton took the lead and was never headed, winning easily by two lengths; Rock-and-Rye came up at the finish and beat Lelex for the place.

Second race, purse $300, of which $50 to second, selling allowances, horses entered to be sold for $3500 to carry weight for age, then one pound allowed for each $100 down to $1500, then two pounds for each $100 down to $1000. 1 mile.

Campbell & Fenton's br.g. Berlin, 6, by Billet—Manahatta, 103 ..... (Caldwell) 1
Matlock Bros.' ch.m. Lady Duffy, 4, 98 ..... (Matlock) 2
J. Mason & Son's b.h. Red Buck, a., 104 ..... (Meehan) 3
C. Boyle's br.h. Lansdowne, 4, 98 ..... (Hicks) 0
M. J. Daly's b.c. Bellevue, 3, 86 ..... (Trainor) 0
H. J. Woodford's ch.m. Laura Garrison, 4, 93 ..... (Watson) 0
Excelsior Stables' ch.g. Nettie, a., 103 (Johnson) 0
Union Stables' br. g. Middlesex, 5, 112 ..... (Wyburn) 0
C. Noyes' gr. g. Moorfield, 5, 97 ..... (Siler) 0
L. O. Beiel's b.g. Leonidas, 5, 101 0
Time—1.48¾.

Pools: Berlin $20, Red Buck $9, Lansdowne $7, field $11. Mutuels paid $10.75.

The race: After several efforts they were sent away to a fairly good start with Berlin in the lead, Red Buck a good 2d and Bellevue 3d. At the half mile Laura Garrison led by half a length, followed by Berlin and Red Buck close behind. When the third quarter was reached Berlin again went to the front and came in a winner by one-half length, Lady Duffey 2d, and Red Buck 3d.

Third race, purse $400, of which $100 to 2d; handicap for all ages. 1 1-16 miles.

H. J. Woodford's b.g. Barnum, 4, by Bonnie Scotland—Cinderella Thompson, 107 ..... (Wyburn) 1
Summit Stables' ch.g. Royal Arch, 4, 115 ..... (Caldwell) 2
J. N. Ackerman's ch.g. Unique, 4, 100 . (Cross) 3
G. T. Hayden's br.g. Roddy Pringle, a., 105 0
J. E. Segram's gr.g. Felix, 4, 100 ..(Coleman) 0
M. J. Daly's ch.g. Neptunus, 4, 100 ..(Trainor) 0
C. Noyes ch.f. Belle of Marion, 3, 100 ..(Siler) 0
Time—1.52.

Pools: Barnum $20, Royal Arch $15, field $15. Mutuels paid $9.55.

The race: Roddy Pringle was first away, closely followed by Neptunus, with the others bunched. On the back stretch Unique moved up, and at the half was leading with Barnum and Neptunus next. Rounding the turn Barnum overhauled the leader and the two turned into the stretch on even terms. Nearing the eighth pole Barnum drew away and won by a length, Royal Arch beating Unique for second.

Fourth race, purse $300, of which $50 to 2nd; handicap hurdle race 1½ miles, over six hurdles.

Wellington Stable's b.m. Valour, 5, by Flight—sister to Jo Daniels ..... (Jamieson) 1
J. R. Woodford's ch.g. The Wizard, a, 165 ..... (Wyburn) 2
Orkney Stable's ch.m. Maggie May, 5, 133 3
Ackerman & Co.'s ch.g. Dudley Douglas, 5, 135 0
R. McCann's b.g. Jack, 5, 140 ..... (Clayburn) 0
Wynne & Son's ch.g. King Troubles, 6, 152 ..... (Lynch) 0
Ackerman & Co.'s ch.h. Geo. McCullough, a., 145 ..... (Ward) 0
Time—2.51½.

Pools: Jack $21, Valour, $20, field $20. Mutuels paid $20.25.

The race: Valour showed the way over the first two jumps, where he gave way to Jack, who lead till well into the home stretch, when Valour came again and won by several lengths from The Wizard, second, Maggie May third.

To-morrow closes the first meeting of the association, and a very fine program is presented.

An Extra Day at Chicago.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 8.—First race, 5 furlongs—Jack Cocks, 105, won; Flitter, 105, 2d; Wheeler J., 103, 3d; time 1.03.

Second race, 1 mile—Lucy Johnson, 103, won; Carus, 115, 2d, Volatile, 99, 3d; time 1.43¾.

Third race, 7 furlongs—Emma Johnson, 104, won; Revoke, 102, 2d; Wanderoo, 113, 3d; time 1.29¾.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Woodcraft, 103, won; Paragon, 85, 2d; Nick Finzer, 90, 3d; time 1.50.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Gray Cloud, 102, won; Insolence, 87, 2d; Lisland, 102, 3d; time 1.49.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs—Ban Nail, 104, won; White Nose, 109, 2d; Queen Bess, 104, 3d; time 1.15½.

Seventh race, 6 furlongs—Spalding, 120, won; Blue Eyes Belle, 113, 2d; Font, 120, 3d; time 1.15.

Flyers at Brighton Beach.

BRIGHTON BEACH, July 8—First race, ¾ mile—Racquet 1, False Note 2, Elsa Rosalind 3; time 1.18.

Second race, ¾ mile—Annie Martin 1, Amber 2, Lizzie Walton 3; time 1.30¾.

Third race, ¾ mile—Black Jack 1, Crafsie 2, Calera 3; time 1.03¾.

Fourth race, ¾ mile—Battledore 1, Petersburg 2, Effie Hardy 3; time 1.16¾.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles—Topsawyer 1, dead heat between Windsail and Lute Arnold for place; time 2.12¼.

Sixth race, 1¼ miles—Susie Forbes 1, Compensation 2, Roy Boy 3; time 1.58¾.

Racing in England.

LONDON, July 8.—At the Newmarket meeting to-day Gen. Owen Williams' bay colt Serapis had a walk-over for the Prince of Wales' private post stakes for 2-year-olds. The race for the Cumberland plate, run at the Carlisle July meeting on Tuesday, was won by Sanderson's Nappa, Walker's Peanant 2d, Gardner's Sorrento 3d. There were five starters.

Gossip of the Turf.

The Lorillard Stakes, won by Hanover at Monmouth Park on Thursday, is his fourteenth consecutive victory, three last year and eleven this season, which represent gross earnings of $63,552.50, of which sum $48,997.50 has been won this year.

Turf, Field and Farm says: The Bard was not just right when he was defeated by Troubadour last Monday at Monmouth Park. He never ran such a race before. Last year, when beaten, he always hung on like a bull-dog and fought the race to the bitter end. This time he gave it up like a veritable cur in a short struggle that did not last fifty yards.

The Jockey Club's Executive Committee is still hard at work in its effort to establish New Orleans as a winter racing point. So far the result has been encouraging. Not only will the committee succeed in getting up some valuable stakes to be run for, but it has also obtained the promise of many prominent owners and trainers to winter their stables in New Orleans.

It can be pretty safely assumed that the Sheepshead Bay course is the fastest in the country this season. This has been demonstrated by the time made in nearly all the races. Six furlongs in 1.14½, 1.14½, 1.14¾, 1.14¾, and 1.15; five furlongs in 1.01¼; seven furlongs in 1.27¾; miles in 1.41¾, 1.40¼, 1.41, 1.40¼ and 1.41; a mile and a furlong in 1.53, 1.54¼, 1.53¾ and 1.54¾; a mile and a quarter in 2.08 and 2.07¾; a mile and a three-sixteenth in 2.02 and 2.02, and a mile and a half in 2.34¼ and 2.35¾ is certainly a brilliant record for one meeting.

The New Orleans Picayune says: For some time past the energetic Executive Committee of the New Louisiana Jockey Club has been diligently at work preparing a report on the proposition to hold a racing meeting in the fall, and has recommended that a meeting of six days' duration under the rules of the Louisiana Jockey Club be held in November.

The New York Driving Club had an old time trotting meeting at Fleetwood Park Thursday. B. Thomas won the 2.18 class, his time being 2.19¼. In the 2.29 class there were fourteen starters and the race was not finished. Sir Walter and Perplexed had each two heats, and Dan, Western Belle each one.

Newark Doubled Up by Toronto.

NEWARK, N.J., July 8.—Toronto played ball to-day, batting just at the most profitable time and fielding brilliantly. Sheppard pitched a grand game and was well braced by Oldfield. The home team did not bat with their usual vim and fielded very loosely at times. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Newark ..... 000100001—	2	7	7
Toronto ..... 00000301x—	4	8	1

Batteries: Henry and Derby, Sheppard and Oldfield.

OTHER INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Jersey City:	R.	H.	E.
Hamilton ..... 102601000—	4	14	0
Jersey City ..... 200000400—	6	10	2

Batteries: Horner and Warner, Shaw and Corcoran.

At Binghamton:	R.	H.	E.
Buffalo ..... 000000020—	2	6	1
Binghamton ..... 10000101—	3	6	2

Batteries: Fanning and O'Rourke, Maddigan and Quinn.

At Scranton:	R.	H.	E.
Rochester ..... 103200100—	7	14	4
Scranton ..... 001001210—	5	11	4

Batteries: Bakely and Zimmer, Basker and Crossley.

National League Games.

At New York:	R.	H.	E.
Detroit ..... 30104000x—	8	17	3
New York ..... 00101010 3—	6	16	2

Batteries: Baldwin and Ganzell, George and Brown.

At Philadelphia:	R.	H.	E.
Chicago ..... 010000130—	5	12	4
Philadelphia ..... 000001200—	3	12	2

Batteries: Baldwin and Daly, Buffington and Gunning.

At Boston:	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg ..... 00100300 0—	4	8	3
Boston ..... 00010001 0—	2	9	4

Batteries: Galvin and Miller, Conway and Tate.

At Washington:	R.	H.	E.
Indianapolis ..... 00003050 2—	10	10	3
Washington ..... 00001000 0—	1	9	3

Batteries: Healy and Arundel, Whitney and Gilligan.

American Association Games.

At Cleveland:	R.	H.	E.
Athletics ..... 14110010x—	8	16	2
Cleveland ..... 00100011 0—	3	7	4

Batteries: Seward and Robinson, Morrison and Snyder.

At St. Louis:	R.	H.	E.
Baltimore ..... 00000004—	4	11	1
St. Louis ..... 01000010—	2	3	7

Batteries: Kilroy and Fulmer, Carruthers and Boyle.

No game at Cincinnati on account of rain.

Dust from the Diamond.

Of course Hamilton has a better team, but Toronto is getting there all the same.

Toronto has not lost a game this week so far. This afternoon the last game of the present trip will be played, the team returning home to-morrow.

Is Norman Baker Toronto's mascot?

Jeff Davis will probably sign with Rutland, Vt., as he has received a good offer from that club.

Toronto seems to be getting some luck away from home, and the team has been playing better but than any other team. Fielding has a long way in winning games and the home team is doing splendidly in that respect. Their base-running is also improved, even McCormick now being able to steal second.

If Rochester had several "moss-agate" pitchers like Sheppard it would not be going down the hill so rapidly.

The Jersey skeeters continue to bite the Hams.

Strief, the Syracuse third baseman, is to be released.

"Ice Water" Joe Simmons claims he was offered the management of the Rochester team. The Rochester directors probably thought Simmons would do all the drinking for the team, and the players would therefore keep sober.

The success of the Torontos on their present trip is accounted for. When they were leaving the American Hotel in the bus Sunday last, Annie, the Pride of the Dining Room, threw an old boot after them from an upstair window. Annie says there's nothing like leather and rather the better.

Jack Humphreys is an ex-manager, having been replaced by Director Cleveland, who will hereafter run the Rochesters.

Manager Dischler has concluded to battle no longer against the fates, and has asked consent for the transference of the Utica franchise to Wilkesbarre, Pa. An answer has been requested by telegraph, as Manager Dischler wants the change to go into effect on July 15.

A game will be played at Exhibition Park this afternoon at 3 o'clock between a picked nine of West End merchants captained by George Bedingfield and a team from the Revere House.

The Rosedales will play the Victorias this afternoon on the former club's grounds. Secretary C. R. Jamieson of the Victorias can be addressed by challenging clubs at 322 Queen-street east.

The Universal Club wants challenges from all clubs in the city. The secretary is R. Gray, 100 King-street west.

E. Saunders of 250 Bathurst-street is secretary of the Otters, and is prepared to receive challenges from clubs whose members are under 16.

Standing of International Pitchers.

The Syracuse Standard has prepared the following table, showing the effectiveness of International League pitchers, the estimate being made by taking the percentage of base hits, including bases on balls made by opposing batsmen off the pitchers. It is not, however, a fair criterion of the pitchers' ability, as Marr, who heads the list, has not been in the box often enough to be entitled to a record:

	Pts.	Hits by opps.
1. Marr, Stars		.237
2. Hughes, Newark		.261
3. Stowe, Newark		.291
4. Parsons, Rochester		.277
5. Oberlander, Scranton		.287
6. McKinley, Toronto		.299
7. Hacker, Scranton		.296
8. { Murphy, Stars		.298
{ Sheppard, Toronto		.298
10. Crane, Toronto		.301
11. Walsh, Buffalo		.312
12. Wood, Hamilton		.314
13. Madigan, Binghamton		.319
14. Green, Binghamton		.320
15. Dundon, Stars		.321
16. Jones, Hamilton		.324
17. Jacobs, Jersey City		.327
18. Bakley, Rochester		.329
19. Titcomb, Jersey City		.330
20. Davis, Toronto		.336
21. Fanning, Buffalo		.338
22. Shaw, Jersey City		.343
23. Baker, Rochester		.348
24. { Higgins, Stars		.349
{ Horner, Hamilton		.349
26. Crothers, Stars		.357
27. Peindergrast, Utica		.361
28. Meakin, Scranton		.373
29. Hayes, Rochester		.379
30. Holford, Utica		.381
31. Ely, Binghamton		.391
32. Henry, Newark		.402
33. Huston, Jersey City		.416
34. Reardon, Utica		.421

"What Did He Mean?"

Editor World: A few days ago I had occasion to call at the Postoffice for a registered letter and while waiting at the registration wicket I overheard a most astounding conversation between the "white haired boy" in charge and a clever young gent who is, I believe, in some way related to the proprietor of the New York Herald.

The "W.H.B." had the floor and delivered himself thus: "Long Jay was at the bat and dubbed to short, who fumbled the 'skin,' faking Jay to first on a sneak. Crane collared the willow and got to the b