ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS

CORNWALL. - The president of the Peel and Halton Breeders' Association is James Jackson; the secretary is Jeremiah Pickering. If you address either of them care of Messrs. Lowes, Brampton, the letter will doubtless be forwarded

W. W., Three Rivers. - Thank you for your good wishes; we wish to make our paper as complete as possible and all horse news will receive attention. was only 38 years, 6 months, 1 week old when he died

THAT'S RIGHT, Collingwood, - The fastest running half mile on record is Gerald ine's, 46 seconds; the fastest three-quarters, Domino's, 1.09; the fastest mile, Salvator's, 1.351.

CESOR, Bracdon. - In 1885, '86, '87, '88, 89, '90 and '91, the best Canadian time was 10 1-5 seconds for 100 yards. In '83 the reported time was 10 seconds, but it

J. C.-We agree with you the odds are exceptionally short against the Seagram stable for the plate.

ENGLISH PUG. - The only virtue of the ring at the time you speak was that it was patronized by rich men who tickled their fancy by paying for the pugs to fight They pleased their backers and recognized they were only instruments of pleasure for others. Thus practically it was sport all round

B. B., Richmond Hill.—The municipality has power to put the license fee at any figure it likes.

ALL-ROUND SPORT.

CORBETT and Jackson have each staked \$4,000 to bind their match next June.

THE colored wheelmen of the United

tates are forming a leagure of their own. THE Irish stallion Favo, that headed the list in Ireland for five successive seasons, is dead.

An innovation in the shape of a race for ponies is made in the programme of the Hamilton Jockey Club.

Dayts and Haskins have abandoned their proposed trotting meeting at James

half-mile track, Hamilton. MICHAEL JONES, better known as Mickey Jones, once a famous baseball

pitcher in Hamilton, is dead. The wire-haired fox-terrier Roper's Nutcracker was recently bought by Sir Humphrey De Trafford for \$750.

THE chess masters Steintz and Lasker have each won two games in their match for the championship of the world.

SNAPPER Garrison has returned to his old home, Wall Street and stocks appar ently being too slow for him. He will ride

THE hockey championship of Quebec as been won by the Montreal seven. Ottawa, the winners up in the final, being defeated by three goals to one

A MONTREAL man named Thomas is desirous of playing Billiardist Capron of Galt a balk-line match for \$2,000 a side. April 16th is suggested for the match.

THE rule by which horse-owners estimate the keep of a horse in London, England, is: Threepence per inch per week or, as many shillings per week as he stands hands high

There are 25,000 horses, whose value is seven and a quarter million dollars, employed in the London carrying trade, the cost for their food being four million dollars a year.

A Tennessee man, says the Glasgow Times, refused \$4,600 for a jackass last week, and now there is some confusion in the average mind as to which is which in

GEO. SUTTON, of Toronto, defeated Jos. Capron, of Galt, in the first half of a thousand point billiard match for the championship of Canada and \$250 a side, by 500 to 462

OSHAWA beat Toronto twice on the 26th inst. at a blue rock shooting match, the first time with three men a side by 64 to 57, and the second time with six men a side by 92 to 90.

JAS. J. CORBETT denies the rumor th he will fight Jackson in England. He says the battle must take place in America or not at all. It is a hundred to one that it will be not at all

Dr. Ling, the two-year-old that was "commissioned" by the Dominion Gov-ernment to the World's Fair, is a fast colt and is entered largely in stakes to which he is eligible. - Chicago Horseman

MR. R. HEWITT, of Newmarket, own the handsome stallion Bowery Boy, half brother to Glenwood. He is rising four years and can trot fast. He is regarded by horsemen that have seen him move as

FITCH and Stroud, of Hamilton, were uccessful in securing the betting privileges for the Hamilton Trotting Associa-tion's summer meet for \$3,250. They ave also secured the privileges at the Woodstock and Port Huron races

THE office of Master of Her Maje Horse, has been given to the Earl of Cork. The Master of the Horse gets 42,500 a year, with the free use of the Queen's orses and carriages and the services of the royal coachmen, footmen and grooms

THE break-down of Cloister, who was the favorite for the Grand National steeple chase, which is to be run at Liverpool on Friday, the 30th inst., has resulted in his being scratched for that event. was examined and his were found to be seriously affected.

GEO. W. ORTON, the champion long distance runner and steeplechaser, now of the University of Pennsylvania, at Phila delphia, spent his Easter holidays at his home in Toronto. He expects to be in prime condition for the Intercollegiate games at Berkeley Oval, New York, on May 26th.

THE magnates of the Mid-Winter Fair at San Francisco have engaged the Vic-toria and New Westminster lacrosse clubs of British Columbia to play exhibition games for the edification of their visitors. The expenses of the teams, which will probably total up to close on \$4,000, will be paid by the Fair people.

Although skilfully painted a chestnut use and called "Golden Gate," Brannon Bros, horse Tanner was detected in East St. Louis last week after winning the third race. All bets were declared off. famous coup with Glee Boy, by which they notted a cool \$60,000, is still fresh in the minds of turfites.

JNO. M. MORGAN, of Ottawa, Ont. has Ambrosial, three-year-old record 2.18 to John Boardman, Jackson, Mich., to be prepared for the summer's ca He is entered at Fleetwood in the \$10,000 stake, and ought to be good as a five-year old. He is by Tom Pugh, 2.30, dam Miss Harrington, by Regulator 3113.

"BARON DE HIRSCH has again," says London Truth, "distributed the gross winnings of his horses last year-amounting to £7,500-among London hospitals. but, not content with following his own dent, he has this year 'gone one bet ter,' by giving the same amount in 'added money,' making a total of £15,000."

THERE are two Canadian horses entered for the Fleetwood Park Grand Circuit races this season, viz., J. C. Mahon's (Truro, N.S.) b s Brazilian, by Brown Wilkes, in the 2.25 class trotting, and Angus Sinclair's (Toronto, Ont.) b c Col tina, by Wildbrino, in the four-year-old stake for colts eligible to the 2.33 class.

THE Stockman and Farmer gives these wo bits of advice to horse owners : you wash the mud off the horses' legs after the day s work is done be sure to rub the legs dry before you leave them. It is better to leave the mud dry on the legs than to leave the water on them. Dusty ay is not fit for horses that have to work nard. They may live on it at the time, out you will pay for your folly in feeding by contributing heavy horses to the oneyard within a few years

MR, E. VERNON, of the North Ameri can Hotel, Newmarket, owns a handsome and well-bred stallion in Glenwood. He s six years old; sired by Aristocrat, dam the well known trotting mare Princess Louise. He is a beautiful mahogany bay with black points, and with little han has shown that he is a trotter and a stayer He will stand for a limited number of mares at his own stable. Mr. Vernon also owns the prize winning team Nero and Georgie Hamilton, sired by Little Hamilton, who can pull a buggy to please any

CHARLIE MITCHELL, the English boxer, has not reliquished all hopes of again engaging in a glove contest judging from the significant remarks he made recently in New York before departing for the Old Country. "When I come back in Sep-Country. "When I come back tember," he observed, "I will try and ge on another fight. I am still young and strong, and I'm very sure there is still some good fighting blood in me. I do not know who would like to fight and of course naturally do not care. But I mean to fight somebody you can rest assured, or else I would not say so. I never said a thing yet that I did not live up to.

THE Lancashire handicap steeplechase over a three and a half mile course, for purse of 3,000 sovereigns, of which 2,000 sovereigns and a cup valued at 200 sover eigns goes to the winner, 500 sove to the second, 200 sovereigns to the third. 100 sovereigns to the fourth, was run at Manchester on Monday. The race was won by Manifesto (6 years), Fanatic (5 years) was second and Brunswick (aged) Carrollstown, The Midshipmi Trim, Baccarat, Seaside, and Arran alse The last betting was 10 to 1 each against Manifesto, Fanatic, Seaside and Arran; 7 to 1 each against Brunswick The Midshipmite, Baccarat, and Trim, and 5 to 2 against Carrollstown.

COMING ENGLISH RACES According to the last advices Le Nic ham and Grey Leg were at equal prices for the Lincolnshire handicap, the quota-

tions being: Lincolnshire handicap, 1 mile: run March 27—7 to 1 Le Nicham, 7 to 1 Grey Leg, 100 to 7 San Giovanni, 100 to 6 Gangway, 100 to 6 Victor Wild, 100 to 6 Laodamia, 100 to 6 Xury, 100 to 6 Mac ready, 100 to 6 Beggar's Opera, 20 to 1 Juvenal, 20 to 1 Queen of Navarre, 20 to Juvindgall, 22 to 1 Lord George, 22 to 1 Wildiam, 22 to 1 Marnovia, 25 to 1 Mark McGregor, 25 to 1 Mena, 28 to 1 Harfleur II., 40 to 1 Opoponax.

Grand National steeplechase, 45 miles run March 30-2 to 1 against Cloister, 1 Nelly Gray, 10 to 1 Ardearn, 25 to 1 Father O'Flynn, 25 to 1 Funny Face, 28 to 1 Esop, 28 to 1 Carrolstown, 33 to to 1 Schooner.

The Derby, 1½ miles; run June 6-5 to 2 against Ladas, 9 to 2 Match Box, 8 to 1 Son o' Mine, 9 to 1 Bullingdon, 12 to 1 Arcano, 33 to 1 St. Florian.

AN OLD-TIME TRACK.

Reminiscences of Chester Park, Cincinnati. Away back in the '70's, during the time of Goldsmith Maid, every horse breeder in the country assembled in this city every year to discuss their plans for the season, and when Budd Doble announced that he would drive the mare against time, it at-

tracted many thousands of people to this city, says the Cincinnati Tribune. Fourth of July, 1876, was the day Doble gave her the record of 2.181, which was considered remarkably fast during thosedays Fully 15,000 people witnessed the event After this all the famous drivers and jockeys made Chester Park their head quarters, and during the winter W. H. Crawford, Ed. Bithers, Watkins, Splan Billy Weeks, A. B. Cook, of Joe Bun ker and Rosa Withers fame; John Biggs of Proteine and Deck Wright fame Lakeland, Isaac Murphy, and Stacould be found round Cincinnati. Bo Swimm, the champion jockey of the old times, must not be left out. He has pilot many a horse to victory over the Bobby is dead, but the maje of those mentioned above are still on The next notable event that down in history, which will keep the track in the minds of the people, is t record of that wonderful trotter Maud's Every schoolboy knows or has heard this great mare, but it may be incident mentioned that she is an Ohio bred mar Captain George Stone, of this city, p chased her from the Woodlawn St. Farm, which is near Woodlawn, O. price paid for her when a three-year was \$350. W. W. Bair was her dr and trainer, and her first campaign on turf proved that she was the horse of century. Records that had been standi were knocked right and lef until she had obtained the mark of 2.08 when she was retired. She was sold: W. H. Vanderbilt for the then enormore price of \$21,000, and afterwards Robert Bonner, her present owner, 840,000. Matthew Smith, 2.25½, is other Ohio horse. The first \$1,000 st ever hung up was at Buffalo, N. Y., a the Ohio horse won it. The registers: that the horse's pedigree is unknown the writer is well aware of the fact aware of the fact t was sired by Hiatoga (Hanley's of Grand Duchess, 2.261; Twang, and the dams of Calumet, 2.17 others. Even long before this dat grand old mare Pocahoutas, 2.17 foaled, and no doubt was the gr Sanuggler, 2.15½, was another nata pacer that throws credit on the Bucke State. Carrying, as he did, a g amount of weight, and even thus has capped he held the stallion record eight years. Sleepy George, 2.15; Elm, 2.18j; Sorrel Billy, 2.20; scriber, 2.145; ½; Sleepy Tom, 2.12½; Ger Ralph, 2.23, and Pocahe tas Boy, who in turn sired Buffalo Gi 2.124, and others. The trotting famili 2.124, and others. of Ohio can not be beaten. mares crossed on Jeb Stewart produce Kitty Patchen, 2.211, and Out Cross 2.30. Crossed on Ambassador, produce 2.30. Crossed on Ambassador, produce Hy Wilkes, 2.20; Lady Wilkes, 2.15; Sciota Girl, 2.15; Belle of Navarre, 2.25 The most noted of sires the Hiatoga family was the celebrate Billy Green, sire of Little M., 2.18]. H brother, Rex Hiatoga, both by Hiotog (Scott's), now 21 years old, was also ver fast, and has sired some of the best sty and fastest performers ever seen in State. His get, too, are mostly out mares of unknown breeding, but so erformers as Newton, 2.17%; G. R. 8 .181; Frank A., 2.22, out of unknown dams, would be a credit to any trotting pacing sire. All of the above horses has occupied stalls in the now rickety of stables at Chester Park, and those the are found out there at present are the sons and daughters. -Wm. Dunn, the fire driver that ever sent a horse better the 2.20 in Hamilton county, has retired for the turf and will in the future devotes his time to the care of his stallion. Dec nis time to the care of his stallion, Dear ration by Young Jim, 1st dam Leb Bunker (dam of Guy Wilkes, 2.15‡; E Mandrus, 2-28‡, and William L., sired Axteli, 2.12), by Mambrino Patchen.

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