

THE PEOPLE'S PASTIMES.

WHAT IS GOING ON IN SPORTING CIRCLES THE WORLD OVER.

Articles of Agreement for the Great New York Walking Match Signed Yesterday—Horse and Other Notes.

The Colborne trotting races come off on the 28th and 29th inst.

Malone, Frey and the pool combination are to play a tournament in Detroit in March.

Geo. Clark won the five mile race at Aylmer on Friday for a silver watch, in 20m 30s.

Ross and Baber row on March 10 for a purse of \$2000. Ross gives his opponent 10 seconds' start.

O'Leary has limped up in Chicago. He has in view entering the April heel-and-toe at the Madison square garden.

A five mile race between the fastest skaters in the province takes place at Aylmer to-night, for \$100 in prizes.

Allen and Johnston ran 60 yards on the beach at Galveston; \$3000 was up in outside bets. Allen won by five yards.

T. C. Herbert and George Hazel are to run twenty miles at the polo grounds, New York, March 29, for \$1000 a side.

Arrangements are being made for a shooting match between Forbes of Woodstock and a son of Jim Douglas' to-morrow.

N. W. Kitton contradicts the report that the name of Johnson, the phenomenal pacer, is to be changed to Midway.

The shooting match between Cockburn and Grant comes off at Woodstock to-morrow. The stakes are placed at \$150 a side.

Washington has declined the regatta of the national association in favor of Philadelphia, and there it will doubtless be held.

A western paper records the birth of a litter of eight black and tan setter puppies which have fully developed ear coverings but no ears.

The contract for building the new stables at Monmouth Park has been given to S. S. Stout, Easton town. The price agreed upon is \$27,000.

The recent clever performances of C. Cattin of the South London harriers, stamp him as one of the best amateur distance runners in England.

Crit Davis, the driver and trainer of Maud Messenger, record 2.20 by Messenger Chief, says he believes he will drive her the coming season in 2.16.

The authorities in Paris, France, are suppressing all the betting agencies in that city in consequence of complaints of swindling lodged against the concerns.

Professor Blat, the man-fish, is in New York. He remained under water in St. Louis 4 min. 11 1/2 secs., the longest time on record.

He is the champion man-fish of the world.

During the coming season no gambling of any kind will be allowed on the grounds of the Narragansett driving association. If no pools are sold a small attendance must be expected.

Kenneth McLennan and Charles Wood, of Grovesend, sawed 13 cords of wood in three hours, with a Champion power saw, which is better than they are prepared to boast that record.

Mr. David Fisher in the township of Colborne, has in his stables thirty-three head of bred stallions and mares ranging from one to two years of age. They are pronounced to be as fine a selection of colts as there is in the Dominion.

The date of the New York go-as-you-please race has been fixed upon. Madison square garden has been engaged for the week commencing Monday, April 28, and Saturday afternoon, May 1, 1903.

The Pigeon shooting match at St. Thomas on Thursday, for \$25 a side, between James Bako, of Fort Stanley, and Frank Payne, of Sheldon, was won by Bako by one bird. In the sweepstakes Geo. North won first money, Payne second and A. North third.

Edward, the champion long-distance walker of Australia, has arrived in San Francisco. He defeated Dan O'Leary three times in the Antipodes. He wants to walk Harrison for \$5000 a side, and will probably come east to walk in the Madison square garden.

Three trials of the Granite curling club of Toronto left for Peterboro to play a match with the Peterboro club. The latter won by 23 points. The Granite skips were Dalton, Taylor and McKewen. Two of the rinks remain at Lindsay to play a match there to-night.

Eighty-eight colts and fillies, the get of Virgil, have been sold at the Elmendorf annual sale since 1874, aggregating \$64,288.87, averaging about \$725. His get won on the turf from 1876 to 1883 inclusive \$224,831.50 in 1243 races, in which they were first in 229, second in 210, third in 184 and unplaced in 620.

A study of the weights of oarsmen who have taken part in the English university boat races for the past three years shows that the winning crews have gained in weight at the end of training, while the losing crews have showed evidence of overtraining by a failure to maintain the body weight through the training season.

At the second day's sale (Jan. 25) of the late Count de Lagrange's Dangu stud in France the top prices were \$80 guineas, given by Mr. M. J. Pratt for the bay colt Flick by Beau Merle, and £1140, or \$5500, given by the same purchaser for the black colt Infanteur, by Insulaire. The total of the two day's sale was £13,734 or about \$85,000, an average of £218 for sixty-three head.

The schedule meetings of the different baseball associations will be held as follows: March 4, National league, in Buffalo, N. Y.; 5, American association, in Baltimore, Md.; 10, Northwestern league, in Chicago, Ill.; 10, American college association, in Springfield, Mass.; 15, Eastern league, in Philadelphia, Pa.; 17, Union association, in Cincinnati, O.; 20, Ohio valley college association, in Newcastle, Pa.; 21, Western college association, in Chicago, Ill.

J. K. Emmet of Victoria, B.C., recently lost the St. Bernard dog Hayward, Jr., for which he gave \$2500 at the New York dog show of 1892. He has now assuaged his grief by giving \$4000 for the St. Bernard dog Rector, recently imported by E. K. Heath of Passaic, N. J. It is the biggest prize ever paid for a dog in America. He stands 35 inches high, has a brindled head and a white body, and what is remarkable in a dog of such proportions he stands as straight on his legs as a terrier, and carries his 160 pounds of bone and muscle with surprising agility.

REARLE PARAGRAPHS.

Handicap class Ball Tournament.

The handicap class ball tournament came off at John Oleski's, Brighton, on Friday and Saturday. A great deal of interest was taken in the tournament both by outside and local sports, and as a consequence the grounds were crowded on both days.

Messrs. Cockburn, Humphrey, Oleski and Kennedy formed the managing committee, and efficiently carried out the sports. Following is the score:

Navigation on the Hudson river opened yesterday, a steamer having arrived at Fonghskeeps from New York.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best medicine for every one in the spring. Emigrants and travelers will find in it an effective cure for the eruptions, boils, pimples, eczema, etc., that break out on the skin—the effect of disorder in the blood caused by sea-diet and life on board ship.

In a railway accident at Sterling, Ill., Wm. Pearson and George Portenius were killed.

A Certain Result. If your blood is impure it will burst forth in blotches, pimples and sores, leprosy and unwholesome Blood Bitters will thoroughly cleanse the blood and eradicate all foul humors from the system.

Paddy Ryan, the pug, was floored with a beer glass in a row in a Chicago dance house.

It is a good rule to accept only such medicines as have, after long years of trial, proved worthy of confidence. This is a case where other people's experience may be of great service, and it has been the experience of thousands that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the best cough medicine ever used.

The bark Georgia, from Cardiff for Hong Kong, has been abandoned in mid ocean.

Great Excitement. There is always great excitement in case of sudden accident and injury. Everyone should be prepared for an emergency. Hagyard's Yellow Oil is the reliable friend in need; it is for internal and external use, curing Burns, Scalds, Bruises, Lameness, Croup, Sore Throat, Rheumatism and painful affections and wounds.

The car has offered Gen. Ignatieff the civil government of Turkistan, with entire charge of the administration of all of the central Asian provinces.

Warning. If troubled with constipated bowels never neglect it, or the system becomes clogged, the secretions dried up and the system poisoned with foul gases. Burdock Blood Bitters cure constipation by unlocking the secretions and regulating the glandular system.

The coal masters at Annin, France, have agreed to advance the wages of miners. The strikers appear satisfied with the terms.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is pleasant to take; sure and effective in destroying worms. See that you take no other and you will be satisfied.

It is proposed to hold a colored men's convention at Pittsburgh April 29.

She Declares It Saved Her Life. Mrs. F. Taylor of Toronto was a great sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism, which for a long time rendered her helpless. At last she tried Hagyard's Yellow Oil, and declares it saved her life.

A Boviery man has among his wonders a glass half-filled with whiskey labeled "Resistant to the action of fire." The supposition is that it was very well stuffed.

Proof Positive. If you suffer from pain in the region of the shoulders, head ache, irritable bowels, faintness, sick stomach, variable appetite, bad taste in the mouth and salivary complexion, your liver and biliary organs are seriously affected, and Burdock Blood Bitters is the prompt and certain remedy.

According to the almanac, spring is due in a short time. Winter, however, seems loath to loosen his grip.

Pimples and Blotches. Call at F. T. Burgess' drug store, 364 King street east, and get a package of McGregor & Park's Carbolic Cerate. It is composed of vasoline, carbolic acid and cerate, and has never failed to remove pimples, blotches, ulcerated sores, rough skin. It cures when others fail. Try it.

Leap year and lovers don't appear to be getting on well together.

Fluid Lightning. Cures toothache and neuralgia quick as flash, relieves any pain instantly, the cheapest and quietest application. Why suffer with toothache, neuralgia, headache, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, sore throat, or acute pain in any part, when you can go to F. T. Burgess' drug store, 364 King street east, and get a perfect and instantaneous cure for 25 cents. Ask for Fluid Lightning.

Detroit's baby show is booming. Triples and twins predominate.

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What It Has Done. Mrs. George Simpson, Toronto, says: "I have suffered severely with corns, and was unable to get any relief from treatment of any kind until I was recommended to try Holloway's Corn Cure. After applying it for a few days I was enabled to remove the corn, root and branch—no pain when you can go to F. T. Burgess' drug store, 364 King street east, and get a perfect and instantaneous cure for 25 cents. Ask for Fluid Lightning."

Japanese soldiers carry fans. These weapons are probably used only in the hottest of the light.

John R. Vert, Hamilton, says: "McGregor's Speedy Cure for dyspepsia and indigestion is cheap at fifty times the price asked for it. I am a commercial man and travel continually, and would no more think of leaving home without a bottle of McGregor's Speedy Cure in my valise than I would of leaving my team and home and going on foot." Free trial bottles at F. T. Burgess' drug store, 364 King street east.

Miss Mary Campbell, Elm, writes: "After taking four bottles of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure, I feel as if I were a new person. I had been troubled with dyspepsia for a number of years, and tried many remedies, but of no avail, until I used this celebrated dyspeptic cure." For all impurities of the blood, sick headache, liver and kidney complaints, costiveness, etc., it is the best medicine known.

The Big Walking Match. New York, Feb. 25. Articles of agreement for a six days' go-as-you-please race, to commence at Madison square garden on Monday, April 25, were signed to-day by Charles Rowell, Patrick Fitzgerald, Robert Vint and Geo. D. Noreana. Geo.

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