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## Aquatic.

### HANLAN'S VICTORY.

The signal defeat of Ross by Hanlan still continues to be the topic of conversation in the boating fraternity, and it is now conceded that Hanlan stands at the head of the scullers. A prominent boating man of this city met Hanlan in Toronto, and during a conversation which ensued, the oarsman remarked that he was glad to see any one from Boston, as he liked the people, but thought he had been used hard. He stated that he would be sorry to have Bostonians lose, and advised them not to wager against him, for, said Hanlan, "I am rowing for Ned Hanlan and Toronto to-day; I am in fine fix; I am rowing very fast; of course, you know what Ross can do, as you are interested in him. I tell you this, as I have great respect for Boston people." Barney Brannan, Ross' backer, was in the city last week on his return to St. John, and is satisfied that Hanlan is a flyer, and gives no one license to beat him. He states that Ross was overmatched, and is not to be compared with the Toronto man. It seems, according to the inside history of the St. John party, that the backers of Ross ordered him to go to the front at once, and their feelings can be imagined as they witnessed the race from the judges' boat, with Ross astern. Some hopeful St. John men on the boat waited for the last mile, as it was thought Ross would outstay Hanlan, but Hanlan's frequent stops on the way home plainly showed that he was master of the situation. Hanlan evidently feels the criticisms that have been made upon him, and lays the defeats while here to want of being in proper condition rather than trickery.

He evidently desires to visit this locality in the spring, and participate in the regattas. An effort will be made by a large number of his friends in this city to have the whole of the order, debarring him from participating in the Fourth of July regatta, rescinded. Letters of congratulation have been sent to Hanlan by many prominent oarsmen of this city. A gentleman here stands ready to match him against Courtney. Hanlan has the best wishes of the boating men, who are desirous that he should return and wipe out his former record.

The result of the Ross-Hanlan race is the greatest surprise the knowing ones ever got in this city. Boston boating men were heavy losers. — *Boston, Mass., Sunday Herald.*

### WHY ROSS WAS BEATEN.

#### A NEW BRUNSWICKER'S ESTIMATE OF COURTNEY.

The following extract from an article in the St. John, N. B., News, conveys the idea that Ross was stale when he was beaten by Hanlan, and that defeat is attributed to overwork. It is a novel idea to promulgate now that Ross' race with Plaisted and Smith were enough for so young an oarsman; more so, then it is considered that these two victories in the language of the News, were "easy." In speaking of Courtney, the News, it will be seen, estimates his abilities by a comparison of Plaisted's performances with the American and then with Ross. Assuming this basis to be correct, as submitted by the News, how would Hanlan rank:—"Plaisted could hold Courtney for nearly two miles; the former could not keep on anything like even terms with Ross after three-quarters of a mile"—and now it is a matter of history that Hanlan had Ross dead to rights after they went a mile. If this kind of comparative reasoning were of value; from a New

A distinguished Japanese traveller in this country writes home: "The chief branch of education of young men here is rowing. The people have large boat-houses called colleges, and the principal of these are Yale and Harvard."

**NEW BOATS FOR ROSS.**—An order has been forwarded to Swaddell & Winship, England, by the backers of Wallace Ross, to build him a new boat, the plans being left to the discretion of the makers. Mr. Robt. Dalton, Indian town, is building another boat for Ross to use in rough water, and is also to repair the Scotswood, injured at Toronto, having sent to Boston for cedar.

Joseph Sadler beat Harry Kelly from Putney to Mortlake, London, Eng., Nov. 5, for £400.

## Veterinary.

### MONTREAL VETERINARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

The usual fortnightly meeting of this Association was held on Thursday evening at the Veterinary College, Prof. Wm. Osler, in the chair.

The following new members were balloted for and elected:—Norah Cressy, M. D., Amherst, Mass.; P. Cummings, Quebec; Matthias Smith Brown, Montreal; Wm. Jakeman, Boston, Mass.; Mr. Harris, Ottawa; Mr. White, Montreal; Geo. H. Parkinson, Bridgeport, Conn.; H. J. McMartin Montreal.

Mr. C. C. Lyford, V. S., Roscoe, Ill., read a very interesting paper on *Inflammation of the Lymphatics*, illustrating his remarks by cases, which led to an animated discussion on the causes and true pathology of these cases.

Professor Cressy objected to the name made use of by veterinarians to indicate this disease. He was of the opinion that the inflammation of the lymphatics was merely a consequence of some other pathological condition.

The Chairman agreed with Dr. Cressy that there was room for improvement in veterinary nomenclature.

The President agreed with the two gentlemen as to the defective state of our nomenclature, but thought *Lymphatitis* was as good a name as any other, for although the disease was a consequence of errors in diet, and probably malassimilation, the lymphatic glands being the principal seat of the inflammatory action, it could be as readily recognized under the old name as under any new or more technical one.

Dr. F. W. McLellar of Bridgeport, Conn., also read an instructive communication of a case of *Rupture of the Cecum*, in which he minutely described the history of the case. The horse had been losing condition for some time previous, and the owner administered a large dose of oil of turpentine in milk, which set up inflammation of the diseased portion of the intestine, which ended in the final perforation of the bowel, and the escape of the contents, setting up peritonitis. The post-mortem examination which was conducted by Prof. Osley, revealed the fact that an ulcerated condition of the cecum near its blind end has existed for some time, and that during the recent enteric attack set up by the turpentine, the attenuated coats of the bowel gave way. The specimen was exhibited and carefully examined by all present. An animated discussion followed on the causes and symptoms of these cases.

At the next meeting, to be held November 8th, a paper will be read by Prof. Osley on *The disease known as Typhoid Fever in Pigs*. As the doctor has been conducting a series of experiments, and has thoroughly investigated the pathology of the disease, a very interesting paper may be looked for. Mr. J. A. Couture, V. S., at the same meeting, will read a communication of some interesting case.

After the election of officers, Mr. Santhier, of St. Louis, Missouri, read an excellent essay on Bog Spavin and Thoroughpin in horses. The reading of the essay elicited a very interesting and highly instructive discussion.

Mr. W. T. Derr, of Worster, Ohio, read a communication on a case of Extreme Flatulency in a mare, successfully treated by puncturing the abdomen.

After the discussion which followed the reading of Mr. Derr's paper, the President made a few remarks on the operation of Paraentesis Abdominis in extreme cases of Flatulency, and stated that he believed Veterinarians in general and teachers in particular had not given this operation the attention it demanded. He was confident the operation was the only means of saving many cases. He also alluded to the excellent paper of Mr. Harthill, of Louisville, (a graduate of the Ontario College), which was read here last winter, and afterwards published in several papers in this country, and also in the Veterinary Journal, of London, Eng., and which has been the means of bringing this operation more prominently before the Veterinary profession, both on this and on the other side of the Atlantic.

After a vote of thanks to Messrs. Smithers and Derr, the meeting separated.

## Pedestrianism.

### SPRINTS.

A young man named Wm. Shamrock, ran one day last week from Duffins' Creek to Whitby in 38 minutes. The run was made on a wager of ten dollars, he could not make the distance in 40 minutes.

A 100 yards race took place at Fredericton, N. B., on Saturday, 27th ult., between Hugh Balkam, of St. Stephen, and Wm. Fenety, of Fredericton. The course was laid out on the Driving Park, and the stakes were \$100. There was quite a large attendance of spectators. Fenety won by a yard in 11½ seconds.

The great all England 101 yard handicap, which was run at Manchester, England, on the 15th ult., showed another surprise to our transatlantic cousins, and that was the victory of F. Rodgers, an American pedestrian, who was in receipt of 8½ yards' start. He won the first prize (£100) with ridiculous ease. H. Dobson, 5½ yards' start, was second; T. Cartwright, 8½ yards, was third; and J. Bates, 8½ yards, fourth.

A meeting was held last week in Ottawa for the purpose of organizing a Snow Shoe Club. The name adopted was the Wide Awake, and the following officers were elected:—President, John McKinley; Vice-President, John Cawthry; Secretary, J. M. Ross; Treasurer, A. Sparks.

A foot race of 200 yards took place at Brantford on Monday last between Messrs. Reynor and Copeland for \$100. The latter won. Considerable money changed hands on the event.

Hunter & Co., 39 and 41 King St. west, this city, pay particular attention to photographing pedestrians in running costumes.

J. Forde was matched to walk O. Crappin on Saturday, at Ottawa, a twenty mile race for \$50 aside. Both men with their backers and friends turned up at the appointed hour on Matchmor's Park. The conditions were that Crappin should give Forde a start of a mile. The race was started, but at the end of the sixth mile Forde was obliged to withdraw from the contest, claiming that he had a "stitch" in his side. Crappin walked on for two miles, doing eight in one hour and eighteen minutes. Messrs. Duffy and Gordon acted as judges.

**A FEAST FOR THE FLIES.**—A well-known Western breeder. Mr. J. S. Carpenter, of Lansing, Mich., had a colt foaled upon his farm last spring without the least sign of a caudal appendage, the only apology for a tail being a few stray hairs some six or seven inches in length.

Alfred, the English four night horse, was sold for \$1,000. The numerous rounds of applause he received amply testified the esteem in which his wonderful dramatic powers are held. Of the support, Miss Phoea McAllister deserves more than a good word; as Laura Hawkins, she appeared to the best advantage, and in the sunny and shady sides of that character ably assisted the star, and did credit to herself. Miss Carr was more than acceptable as Mrs. Hawkins. Mr. Southard created an unfavorable impression as Col. Selby, owing to want of study; Mr. Hudson was an ideal District Attorney, with all the name implies; while the remainder of the company exerted themselves to make the piece a success, which it truly was, earning the lack of enthusiasm at the close of the last act. The scenery and mounting were perfect. Col. Selby will be repeated at the matinee to-morrow. On Wednesday evening Mr. Raymond's new play of *Hicks* was produced for the first time in this city, and will be played the rest of the week. To-night Mr. Raymond takes his benefit, when we expect to see an overflowing house.

**DEATH OF THE THOROUGHBRED HORSE GABRIEL.**—The bay horse Gabriel, foaled 1856, by imp. Glencoe, dam St. Mary, by Hamlet; 2d dam Vamp, by Lauger, &c., died on the 25th ult., in Montgomery, Va. A correspondent who writes from Bangs, Montgomery County, says the horse died from gross neglect, and that with proper care and treatment he might have lived and been serviceable for many years. Up to within a short time of his death the horse enjoyed good health, and had all the vigor of a colt. It is supposed that, with the exception of Crichton, Gabriel was the last of the Glencoes, in the male line. There are several daughters of Glencoe still living.

**AMOUNT WON AT THE RACE MEETINGS.**—The total amount of money won during the year, to the end of the Baltimore meeting, is \$350,538. This calculation embraces all the races that have taken place throughout the whole of the United States, and has been carefully computed from the accurate reports furnished in the columns of the Turf, Field, and Farm. Of this Mr. Pierre Lorillard has won \$50,397, or nearly one-sixth, while Mr. George L. Lorillard follows with \$39,937, which is over one-eleventh of the whole amount. To enumerate the merit of the stables which follow would require too much space, but suffice it to state that the average of the best thirteen is nearly \$8,000, so that between these fifteen stables four-sevenths of the money has been secured, leaving three-sevenths, or about \$150,000 to be divided up among the numerous others who compose the remainder.

### THE ORLOFF (RUSSIAN) TROTTERS.

The first venture of the Orloff horses to this country has met with but indifferent success pecuniarily, and we fear that Lieut. Ismailoff will return to Russia poorer in pocket than when he left it. The advantages will probably accrue to those who shall breed good mares to the Russian stallions, and thus produce an improved line of carriage horses. The Russian animals were not speedy enough to attract attention where so many track horses are vastly superior to them in that one characteristic; yet we doubt if they were shown at their best. They had not become fully acclimatized, nor were they scientifically and properly handled. We cast no reflection upon Lieut. Ismailoff or his driver; they are Russians, and did according to their lights. Russian light in horse management is not what Americans would denominate a sunburst of applied skill and developed science. Our trainers and drivers have done quite as much toward lowering records as have our breeders. If Charley Green, Budd Doble or Dan Maco had handled Lieut. Ismailoff's stock, with a year or two of preliminary training, we fancy that the Russians themselves would have been astounded with the difference in time. The black stallion Lebed was sold Oct. 15, under a misapprehension for the almost nominal sum of \$950. The balance of the venture, which includes the other black stallion Lobedonok, the two grey stallions, Zwoonk and Kolokoltchuk, and the black mare Birn, together with the droshkies, troikas and general outfit have been disposed of to Mr. Thomas Winans, of Baltimore, on private terms. Mr. Winans, if we remember correctly, imported a lot of Russian horses some years since. Lieut. Ismailoff will take his departure on Thursday next. We sincerely wish him a pleasant passage and immunity from the massacring proclivities of the nondescript Bash-Bazouks.—*Turf.*

Mr. James Horton, of Hibbert, has sold his horse, Glory of the Dominion, to Mr. Drake, of St. Thomas. The consideration was close to \$1,000.

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The Queen's had a number of new names on their programme this week, and several specialty features are promised for next week, among which are Mons. Niblo and wife, and Tude and Charret which will much increase the attractions of the variety entertainment given at this house. Messrs. Burton & Kennedy take their benefit this evening.

### GENERAL.

**MONTREAL.**—The houses at the Academy of Music have not been equal to the efforts of the manager in catering for the public amusement, and there has been some talk if business does not look up, that Mr. Morris would throw up his lease. On Monday and Tuesday the bill was been Under the Gashlight with Miss Kellogg and Messrs. Warner and Morris in the cast.—The Theatre Royal has been re-decorated, refitted, and a new stock of scenery added, and is now ready for occupancy by the first enterprising manager who may come along.

**HAVERLOCK.**—Miss Charlotte Stanley in her great play of *Crime*, on Monday evening commenced a season of one week at the Opera House. Among the new names are Jerome and Cameron, Miss Hilda Wayne, and Miss Nellie Stone. Harry Lindley is still master of ceremonies.

**PT. SARINIA.**—Sophie Miles and the Royal Star Dramatic Co., 13th, 14th, and 15th at Court House.

**EXETER.**—Mr. Abel Walper is fitting up a handsome new hall.

The Holman Opera Troupe are at Louisville, Ky., this week.

Mr. Chas. J. Mira, formerly a member of the Holman Opera Co., has taken up his residence permanently in Australia.

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