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Favorites in Front at Saratoga. Saratoga, N.Y., Aug. 7.—First race, 5 furlongs—Jockey, 11 to 5, won. Sadie, 10 to 1, 2nd. Irish Reel, 11 to 2, 3rd.

Closing Day at Brighton Beach. Brighton Beach, Aug. 7.—First race, 5 furlongs—Blackhawk, 10 to 5, won. Floor Jonathan, 10 to 1, 2nd.

Open Season at Three-min. Trot. Open Season at Three-min. Trot. Wilkes, b. s., 1 to 2, won. Sweepstakes, 2 to 1, won.

AT THE WICKETS. Parkdale Cricketers and Another Victory. Parkdale cricketers defeated the Grimby eleven by 169 to 37, decided on the first innings, yesterday.

Cricket Stills. Parkdale cricketers play two matches Saturday, ending as early as meet the C.P.R. team at the junction and meeting one of the local clubs on a nearby ground.

Athletic and General Notes. A consignment of Lillywhite's and Co.'s "special driver" cricket bats just received by F. C. Allan, 38 King-st. west, Toronto, were shown yesterday.

Lillywhite Cricket Bats. Just received a consignment of extra light Lillywhite's "Special Drivers" weights from 21lb to 15lb. Call and see them. P. C. ALLAN'S 35 KING-STREET WEST, TORONTO.

TO ELECT A NEW REEVE.

East Toronto Council Declares the Seat Vacant and a Successor Will Be Chosen About Aug. 20. There were present at last night's meeting of East Toronto Council Messrs. Richardson, Morton, Treach and Dr. Walters.

Changing the Route of the Electric Rail Way. The public meeting held at the Electric Rail Way office, last night, for the purpose of changing the route of the electric railway from Mary and Walter-streets to Main-street, was held at 8 o'clock.

Separate School for East Toronto. A movement is afoot to establish a separate school in East Toronto, but as the Roman Catholic children attending the public school number about 60 per cent of the total attendance, it is not likely the undertaking will be carried out.

THE OUELIA REGATTA.

Gaudaur, J. Rogers 2 and Duran 3 in the Professional Race. The Ouelia Regatta is today a very successful affair. The races being witnessed by about 4000 people.

The Saratoga Regatta. Saratoga, July 7.—Comments and predictions are rife among boating men concerning the probable outcome of the annual meeting and championship regatta of the National Association of Amateur Regattas, to be held at Saratoga on Friday and Saturday of the present week.

The "Empress" Hotel. There is no more cozy, home-like family hotel in Toronto than "The Empress," situated in the southeast corner of Yonge and Gould-streets, presided over by the well-known hotel man, Mr. Richard Dismore.

Delay in Refunding. A correspondent complains of the delay of the Grand Trunk in refunding money. He says he had to wait three months. He says their roads run in 7 days or less.

On a Doyle's Start in Literature. It may be that my literary experiences would have ended there had there not come a time in my early manhood when that good old hard-faced schoolmaster, Head Times, took me by the hand and said that each word will have to be tagged.

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Majority for Prospect Park, It shows. James W. Draper, who is one of the best players both in England, is coming to America to meet Brewer, Fulford and Elliott.

FREIGHT RATES ON FLOUR.

THE PRINCIPAL TOPIC AT THE MILLERS' CONFERENCE. The Claim Made That the Railways Give Better Rates on Wheat Freight Than on Flour to the Disadvantage of Canadian Millers—Officers Elected and Several Papers Read.

From all over the far Dominion the men who convert Canada's golden grain into flour met in annual convention at the Board of Trade building yesterday. A gathering of about 100 millers, representing the Dominion Millers' Association, has reason to be proud of the success of their organization.

There were men who handle grain in many parts of the country, and they represent one of the most important industries of the Dominion. Many were the questions of importance to millers which were discussed by the association.

The reports of the secretary-treasurer and auditors were read and a mass of figures quoted to show that the association was in good financial health and was gaining in membership.

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CHINESE WARRIORS.

THEY HAVE ANTIQUATED WEAPONS, BANNERS WITH DRAGON PICTURES. The Word "Hava" on Each Man's Back—The Famous Tiger Guards, With Monkeys Painted on Bamboo Shields—Chinese War Junk.

The Chinese have not yet gone to war with modern firearms and fought according to modern western methods. When they fought the English to win the opium traffic their arms were not dissimilar to those the English had used 200 years before.

But their equipment was at least picturesque. They carried banners bearing representations of green dragons and other terrible creatures, and also huge umbrellas. Many of the soldiers had colored pennants attached to their persons.

Their shields were also painted with alarming things. They went into battle with a tremendous beating of gongs and agitation of dragons and umbrellas.

They attempted to bar one of their rivals with a make-believe streamer, having a funnel and smoke, but no engine. A huge fort also was armed with wooden cannon and made use of them with effect.

The stink-pot was a very effective missile. It was a small, round vessel containing sulphur and foul-smelling substances. It was very effective against the enemy's ranks.

The Chinese army, which consisted of three divisions. The first is the eight banners, comprising "all living Manchou and descendants of the Mongolians and Chinese soldiers of the conquest."

The second is the provincial army of the "Great Standard," comprising the land and marine forces. This numbers about 500,000 men and is used principally for garrison and police duties.

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