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American Turf.

RACING AT SARATOGA.

Aug 13—Purse \$500, for maidens aged three-quarters of a mile.
 Dan Sparling, by imp. Dan Itam, 110 lbs. 1
 Cedric, by imp. Saxon, dam Itam, 110 lbs. 2
 Annie Augusta, by imp. Black Slave, 107 lbs. 3
 Time, 1:19.
 Kenner Stakes, for three-year olds; half forfeit, with \$1,500 added;
 Duke of Magenta, by Lexington, 110 lbs. 1
 Bramble, by imp. Bonnie Ivy Leaf, 110 lbs. 2
 Spartan, by Lexington, dam Ivy Leaf, 110 lbs. 3
 Time, 2:44.
 Purse \$500, for all ages, to carry mile and a half.
 Parole, by imp. Parole, 110 lbs. 1
 Parole, by imp. Parole, 110 lbs. 2
 Parole, by imp. Parole, 110 lbs. 3
 Time, 2:44.
 Purse \$300; horses beaten and not to race this year at Saratoga allowed to race a mile.
 Revolver, dam Sky-rocket, 111 lbs. 1
 Virginus, by imp. Virginus, 124 lbs. 2
 Australian, by imp. Australian, 106 lbs. 3
 Time, 1:46.
 Purse \$400; horses beaten and not to race at Saratoga this year allowed to race a mile and five furlongs.
 Danichoff, by imp. Danichoff, 102 lbs. 1
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 Time, 2:55.

allowed 5 lbs in addition; one mile and a quarter.
 Miss Malloy, 3 yrs, by Pat Malloy, dam by Engineer \$500, 78 lbs. 1
 W I Higgins, 4 yrs, by Pat Malloy, dam Yellowbird, \$500, 98 lbs. 2
 Wm Mulkey's br h Lucifer, 4 yrs, by imp Leamington, dam Lady Motley, \$500, 98 lbs 3
 Bennett, Go, Hampton, Maritana, Vermont, and Rifle also started.
 Time—2:13.
 Same Day—Free Handicap Hurdle Race—Purse \$500, of which 100 to second; mile heats, over 4 hurdles; distance, 80 yards.
 W Carson's br g Kelso, aged, by Voucher, dam Kate Leonard. 4 1 1
 H Gaffney's br g Dailgasian, 5 yrs, by Blarrestone, dam Lucy Fowler. 1 4 2
 L Wood's ch g Dandy, 5 yrs, by Oyster-ma, Jr, dam Bet Arlington. 3 2ro
 Disturbance and Gallagher also started.
 Time—1:53, 1:54, 1:56.
 Aug 17—A sweepstakes for all ages \$20 each, play or pay, with \$300 added; three-quarters of a mile.
 A Smith's b m Inspiration, aged, by Warminster, dam Sophia, 117 lbs. 1
 H B Burham & Co's b g Dan K, 4 yrs, 110 lbs 2
 A Belmont's b f La Belle Helene, 3 yrs, 98 lbs 3
 Rhadamanthus, Pique, Perida, Pilot, and Bijon also started.
 Time—1:17.
 Same Day—Purse \$400, for three-year-olds; entrance, 5 per cent (\$100), of the purse to second; mile and a furlong.
 Dwyer Bros' b c Brumby, by Bonnie Scotland, dam Ivy Leaf, 105 lbs. 1
 G Reed's b f Bonnie Wood, 109 lbs. 2
 Power & Buckle's b f Kate Claxton, 100 lbs. 3
 Danicheff and Bertha also started.
 Time—1:58.
 Same Day—A Handicap Sweepstakes for all ages at \$25 each, with 500 added; the second to receive 125 out of the stakes; two miles.
 H Welch's b c Princeton, 4 yrs, by Oakland, dam imp Wombat, 103 lbs. 1
 T W Dwyer's b g Bushwhacker, 4 yrs, 105 lbs 2
 R Graham's b h Shylock, aged, 112 lbs. 3
 Joe, Virginus, Clommie G, Inspiration and Loulanier also started.
 Time—3:36.
 Same Day—Purse \$300, for all ages; entrance free; the winner to be sold at auction; mile and a quarter.
 J R Barry's b c Kenesaw, 4 yrs, by Glengarry, dam Kathleen, \$500, 101 lbs. 1
 W B Babcock's ch h Egypt, aged, 103 lbs. 2
 J W Belle's ch f Maritana, 3 yrs, \$1,000, 91 lbs. 3
 Nannie H, Lotterer, W I Higgins, Kilburn, Snowden and Rifle also started.
 Time—2:11.

TROTTING AT UTICA, N.Y.

Utica, N.Y., Aug. 18.—Purse \$1,000, 2:34 class.
 O S Green's b m Dame Trot. 1 1 1
 E Pyle's b g Wildair. 2 2 2
 J. J. Green's b g Fair. 3 3 3

Newbrook. 3 4 2 3 5 r o
 Time—2:26, 2:28, 2:25, 2:24, 2:24, 2:28, 2:24, 2:24.
 Aug 16 and 17—\$2,000; 2:20 class.
 Powers. 5 7 1 1 5 1
 Adelaide. 2 1 3 6 1 2
 Richard. 1 2 3 3 6 3
 Law Scott. 3 5 2 2 2 3
 John H. 4 3 4 5 4 r
 King Philip. 6 6 7 4 3 r
 Banquo. 7 4 6 7 d r
 May Queen. 8 8 5 8 r
 Time—2:21, 2:21, 2:21, 2:21, 2:23, 2:22, 2:22.
 Aug 16—\$1,000; special speed class.
 John Splan, b g Karus. 1 1 1
 Time—lost.
 Time—2:10, 2:15, 2:17.
 Aug 17—In the 2:26 unfinished race, Nancy Hackett who had two heats yesterday, stifled her hip bone on the seventh heat and was distanced. The eighth was declared no-heat, the judges believing Batsman was not driven to win. Jno. Murphy was put up as driver in place of Jas. H. Goldsmith. Jersey Boy takes first money.
 Same Day—\$—; special purse.
 Sleepy George (pacer). 1 1
 Great Eastern (trotter). 2 2
 Time—2:18, 2:19.

Cricket.

WANDERERS—TORONTO LACROSSE CLUB.—The return match between these clubs was commenced on the grounds of the Toronto Cricket Club, and, owing to time not permitting, was not played out. The Wanderers in their first and only innings made 57, of which Behan contributed 17; the L. C. C.'s two innings being 47, and 84 with 5 wickets to go down. Nudell's 14 was the only double figures for the lacrosseists.
 WHITBY—SYRACUSE, N.Y.—On the 15th, at Whitby, the home team beat the Syracuse, N.Y., club; the scores being—for the winners 58 and 75, losers 78 and 80.
 BELLEVILLE—SYRACUSE.—The Belleville club on the 16th, at home, beat the Syracuse club by seven wickets.
 CLINTON—PARIS.—At Paris on the 15th, the local players were defeated by the representatives of the Clinton Club as follows:—Clinton, 45 and 89 with six wickets to go down; Paris, 60 and 70.
 ST. MARYS—CLINTON.—Owing to rain the game between St. Marys and Clinton was not concluded. The home team scored 58 and 95; Clinton, 24.
 THE AUSTRALIANS.—The Australians leave England on 10th September. They have slightly changed their programme and may possibly play several games in New York before visiting Boston. From the Hub they will come direct to Canada. Leaving the Dominion they will visit Philadelphia, play

1,000 live pigeons. He will purchase any sized lots, and pay the best prices going. Persons out of town can communicate with him, and send the birds by express.

Base Ball.

THE TECUMSEHS.—On the 14th at Bath, N.Y., the Cockneys were defeated by the Hornells, 18 to 2, in an exhibition game.
 At Rochester, N.Y., on the 15th, the Flower City boys captured the Tecumsehs, 10 to 6, in another exhibition game.
 On Friday last the Buffalos at Long run around the base 15 times to the Londoners 10, another exhibition game, with straight-arm pitching.
 RIDGETOWN—PORT STANLEY.—In a match at Ridgetown on the 16th, the local nine waxed the Port Stanley team 16 to 5.
 GUELPH—WOODSTOCK.—An amateur championship game was played at Guelph on Friday last. The Maple Leafs, the home team, won easily by 10 to 3.
 TORONTO—MARKHAM.—A match for the championship of the County of York, including the city of Toronto, was played at Markham on Monday, between the Clippers of Toronto, and the Iroquois of Markham. The city boys won, 16 to 12.

Athletic.

BARNES TO CARRUTHERS.

Toronto, Aug. 19th, 1878.
 To Editor "Sporting Times."
 Sir,—In reply to Mr Carruthers' challenge to run me another race right away for \$50 or \$100 aside, I beg to say I am unfit to go into training for another race at present; and even if I was, it would not pay me to neglect my business and get in trim for \$50 or \$100.
 I this day deposit \$100 in your hands as a forfeit for a race to come off early next spring, for \$500 a side, seventy-five yards, crack of a pistol. Then if Mr. Carruthers, or any other man a resident of Canada, wishes to run me, their chances are good to win or lose \$500.
 I will leave this forfeit in your hands for ten days, which will give any one a chance to see it. An answer to your office will meet with my prompt attention.
 Respectfully,
 JOHN S. BARNES,
 American Hotel.
 MEDICAL CERTIFICATE.—Toronto, Aug. 16th, 1878.—I hereby certify that I have attended

from the athletic arena and for ever hold his peace. Now, sir, if Mr. Reid means business, as he says he does, why does he not come out like a man with his challenge by meeting Mr. Biggar half-way, and not take him at a disadvantage. If he does this he will be matched for any amount he has a mind to name. Hoping you will publish this,
 I remain, yours, &c.,
 THOS. CLARKE.

A GREAT STANDING JUMP.

Some time since Geo. W. Hamilton, of Fredonia, N.Y., issued a challenge for a standing broad and high jump for \$200 a side. J. Emerick, of Ypsilanti, Mich., accepted the deft, and the match came off in Buffalo on Thursday, Aug. 8. Moses McAllister and D. A. Slaughter were the judges, Geo. Bellanton, referee, and Geo. B. Colbath stakeholder. The Buffalo base-ball grounds were selected for the contest. The Buffalo Star says: "J. Emerick is a sodium-sized man and one of the last to pick out for an athlete. George Hamilton is about 5 feet 5 inches in height, weighs about 125 lbs., and is a wiry little fellow. The first jump was made by Emerick, who cleared 18 feet. Hamilton then, with great ease, jumped 18 feet 2 1/2 inches. Emerick now strained himself for a final effort, and with a bound left 18 feet 10 1/2 inches behind him, beating the best jump on record by 8 1/2 inches. Hamilton did not look worried or frightened a bit, and pecking up his eighteen pound weights he merely raised them above his head, gave a tremendous spring into the air, and cleared 14 feet 1/2 inch. If this performance could be properly authenticated (which we think is doubtful) it would take precedence in its line as the best record. Until its correctness is established beyond a doubt, Mr. Hamilton will hardly get credit in athletic circles for the jump. The best standing jump heretofore was made by Joseph Greaves, Woodpark Grounds, Bardsley, England., Sept. 18, 1876, when, using 11 1/2 lb. dumb bells, he cleared 18 ft. 7 in.

LYNCH DEFEATS ROSS.

The Emerald and Hamilton Rowan social clubs held their first annual games and picnic on Thursday of last week at Jones' Wood Coliseum, New York. The attendance was good. The games consisted of matches of walking, running and jumping. J. F. Gibbons won the one-mile club-walk, D. McDonald the half-mile run, and McCaffrey both the standing and running long jumps. The most interesting incident of the day, however, was the contest between Duncan C. Ross, of Toronto, and Thos. Lynch, of New York, for the Championship. Lynch