

at with the favorite, Rivin, close up. John Lawlor, Aerolite 4th, and Noll 5th. In running off the race to decide first and second prizes, AuJubon had it all his own way, running easily; purse \$150—\$125 to first, \$25 second. The following are the summaries:

Blue Bonnets, Montreal, Oct. 27.—Steward's Steeplechase. Open to all horses hunted by any Hunt Club in the Dominion. Owners to ride.

Alloway's ch h Jack Frost.....	1
Baumgarten, b h Allah.....	2

Same Day—\$150. Steeplechase. For half-blooded horses. Gentleman riders. \$125, 25.

Mullin, b m Galatoo.....	1
Allan, m g Delomma.....	2
Allan, b g Placid Joe.....	3
Penniston, b g Barouet.....	4

Same Day—Merchants' Plate. Steeplechase. Open to all, handicap. About three miles.

Alloway, ch g Jack Frost, 155 lbs.....	1
Mullin, b m Galatoo, 150 lbs.....	2
Baumgarten's Buay Beo, 158 lbs.....	3
Brace, ch g Marksman, 145 lbs.....	4
Gibben, ch g Prodigal Son, 158 lbs.....	5
Owen, g h Grey Cloud, 168 lbs.....	6

* Did not go the course.

Same Day—\$150. Running. Dash of a mile and a half, open to all, heavy welter weights, gentleman riders. \$125, 25.

Lane, b g A. Jobou.....	1
Owen, g h Grey Cloud.....	2
Driscoll, b h Rival.....	3
John Lawlor, b h Aerolite.....	4
Owen's b g Noll.....	5

Dead heat. BEMN.

RACING AND TROTTING AT GODERICH.

Goderich, Oct. 23—\$120. Trotting; 3:00 class. \$50, 30, 20, 10.

Owen's Ploughboy.....	0	0	1	1	1
Owen's Comet.....	1	1	dr		
Owen's Happy Harry.....	dis				
Owen's Lady Moscow.....	dis				

Best time—2:50½.

Same Day—\$150. Trotting; 2:35 class. \$80, 40, 20, 10.

Lee's Little Ethan.....	1	1	1	1
John Forbes' Grey Eddie.....	2	2	2	2

Time—2:45, 2:45½, 2:40.

Oct. 24—\$120. Trotting. 2:45 class. \$60, 30, 20, 10.

Owen's Ploughboy.....	1	2	2	1	
Owen's Comet.....	2	1	1	2	3
Owen's Happy Harry.....	3	3	3	2	

Time—2:51, 2:50½, 2:50, 2:51, 2:52.

Same Day—\$150. Trotting; free-for-all. \$50, 40, 20, 10.

Lee's Little Ethan.....	1	1	1	1
John Forbes' Grey Eddie.....	2	2	2	2

Time—2:40, 2:39, 2:40.

Same Day—\$75. Running. Half-mile heats. \$45, 20, 10.

Hutchinson's Galt Reporter.....	1	1
Owen's Amber.....	2	2
Owen's Little Bessie.....	3	3
Owen's Arabian Queen.....	4	4

Time—:55, :55.

STEEPLECHASE AT OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Mutchmor Park, Oct. 24—\$200; catch. Steeplechase.

Mayor's Count Kilrush.....	1
Sheriff Powell's Bay Jack.....	2

* Did not go the course.

Lacrosse.

MONTREAL vs. SHAMROCKS.

The match, Shamrocks vs. Montreal, took place on the Shamrock ground, Montreal, on Saturday last, in the presence of the largest crowd ever seen on the grounds. The Shamrocks were very confident, and bets were offered and taken that the Shamrocks would win three straight games. The Montrealers won the first game in 9 mins., and the Shamrocks the second in 47 mins., and the third in 50 mins. The fourth game was won by the Montreal men in thirteen minutes, but the umpires at the other end of the field pulled the flags, owing to the orders of the referee, the hour for stopping having arrived, the game does not count.

OTTAWA. [In our issue of Aug. 24, we published an article on "ringers," from which we clip the following:

"We think Associations have a right to protect their patrons, even if they have to go outside the strict legal lines to do so; the expediency of such an action can hardly be questioned, even if the principle is not entirely recognized. The honest entry should be protected, and the interests of this class of owners must be maintained even if one or two doubtful characters are the sufferers. When the owner can not, or will not, give a clear record of the doings of his horse, he is certainly liable to be treated with suspicion, and our own welfare and the chances of known horses should not be prejudiced for the benefit of such characters. It is hardly asking too much that men should voluntarily give such information as would satisfy the judges of the eligibility of their horses for the class in which they intend to compete, and unless this can be done it might, in the opinion of the managers, be the best policy not to allow the horse in question to start. Individual injury might ensue, but the larger interest would be conserved, and managers would know at all events that their money went where it properly belonged."

Correspondence.

INGERSOLL.—A sad affair which cast quite a gloom over the whole community occurred here last Thursday. A Miss Frances Robinson (Miss Nellie Seville) one of the actresses attached to Emerson's California minstrels committed suicide in the Daly House by shooting herself through the heart with a revolver. Death was instantaneous. An inquest was held and a verdict of death while under mental depression returned. Mr. Emerson, the manager and proprietor of the company, spared no expense in giving the unfortunate lady a proper funeral, which was largely attended by our sympathizing citizens.

The Ingersoll Rifle Matches will take place at the usual ranges on Thursday, Nov. 1st. They are only open to the counties of Oxford and Middlesex and the City of London.—**TOE WEIGHT.**

KINGSTON.—Last week Mr. Billy Wilson sold his trotting horse Tom Thumb to Mr. Fred Lucas, of Toronto; consideration \$800.

Mr. Elliott also sold Rabbit to a gentleman from the U. S.

Messrs. Carson & Conroy have about concluded a sale, thus leaving Kingston short of "speedy ones."

Mr. Horsey has Deserter under fit; he is a good green one, having shown a trial last week in 2:44½.

Mr. Fred Folger's horse is also coming on fast; he trotted last week in 2:42.

Dr. Fee has the game old horse Sheltonwood on the track again. The Doc. thinks the boys will have to look sharp after their laurels this winter. A match is likely to be made between him and Deserter soon.

The base ball match between the Young Earls and the St. Lawrence clubs for the champion (local) flag, was played on Saturday. The result was unsatisfactory. The St. Lawrence refusing to play the game out. The Earls claiming the game. Another match will likely be played in consequence. Broc.

are not so safe a reliance as is the claim, self-assured, well-nigh phlegmatic way in which he rows all his races, coming in never-blown, never-jaded—at least in appearance—looking for all the world as a cat does when playing with a mouse, and evidently having some reserve power. How much of it no doubt his coming races with Hanlan will tell, but to make sure beyond all peradventure that three is enough it behoves him to at once turn his attention to fast five-mile work, and, with the uncommonly valuable index of his rival's capacity had in the above figures, to settle forthwith in his own mind whether the champion up of America at the sculls is to continue to rest at Cayuga Lake or to depart to the larger Ontario, a hundred and fifty miles to the north.—*N. Y. Herald.*

A Michigan father writes to the faculty of Yale: "What are your terms for a year? And does it cost anything extra if my son wants to learn to read and write, as well as to row a boat?"

HANLAN TO MR. COLLINS.—As a memento of his race with Wallace Ross, which Mr. Collins was chiefly instrumental in bringing about, Hanlan has presented that gentleman with a splendid chronograph, bearing the inscription, "From Ed. Hanlan, to P. Collins, Toronto, October, 1877." It is a graceful gift on the champion's part.—*Mail.*

Athletic.

GAMES OF THE TORONTO LACROSSE CLUB.

The annual games of the Toronto Lacrosse Club were held on the grounds of the Club, on Saturday afternoon. Mr. W. O. Ross' throw of the lacrosse ball, 122 yds. 6 in., is said to be the longest on record. The quarter-mile is said to have been run by Mr. T. Arthurs in 54 sec. which, if correct, is a remarkable performance. The 120 yds. hurdle race resulted in a tie, the "run off" being won by Mr. J. Pearson, Mr. H. Suckling second. The attendance was not large. Mr. Telfor Arthurs won the John McDonald & Co. trophy for the highest number of marks, by winning five events. The winners follow:

Throwing lacrosse ball, distance—1st, W. O. Ross, 122 yds. 6 in.; 2nd, H. C. Ross, 117 yds. Bowling cricket ball—T. Mitchell, J. Alley. 100 yards dash—T. Arthurs; H. Suckling. Running long jump—T. Arthurs, 18 ft. 8 in.; J. Fraser.

One mile race, open to all—H. Pellatt, 5 min. 5 sec.; N. McEachron.

Quarter mile race—T. Arthurs, 55 sec.; H. E. Suckling, 57 sec.

Walking race—two miles—W. M. Fisher, 19 min. 34 sec.; E. Rogers, 19 min. 34½ sec.; won by four inches.

Throwing lacrosse ball, accuracy—T. Mitchell; W. O. Ross and J. Bruce, tie.

Hop, step and jump—T. Arthurs, 41 ft. 3 in.; J. Fraser, 40 ft. 10 in.

Quarter mile race, open to all—T. Arthurs 54 sec.; H. Suckling, 56 sec.

Running high jump—J. Pearson, 5 ft. 3 in.; J. Alley, 4 ft. 10 in.

One mile race—S. Hughes, 5 min. 23 sec.; T. Mitchell; J. Langley.

Hurdle race—120 yards—J. Pearson, 17 sec.; H. Suckling.

Tug of war—married v. single—Won by married men.

Consolation race—E. Robinson; R. H. Mitchell.

DRAGHTS—Friday evening a set-to was had at the American hotel, Guolph, between Robert Ferguson, of Listowel, draught champion of the county of Perth, and Murdoch McKenzie, champion of Wellington. Result: 7 games for McKenzie; 3 games for Ferguson, and 3 draws—total 13. Mr. McKenzie will go to Listowel shortly for a return match.

the land brought together, and continue to give the princely stakes and purses they have heretofore given. However, the era is done, if evil it is.

LADY GRANT.

Mr. Wm. Trask, of Otogo, N. Y., the owner of the trotting mare Lady Grant, if he means business, will have an opportunity of proving his often-repeated assertions as to the mare's ability to beat Goldsmith's Maid time. In a recent letter to the *City Item*, Philadelphia, he says:—

"My idea is to trot Lady Grant against time. I will beat 2:14 very bad for a purse of \$1,000; afterwards will trot a mile in two minutes for a purse of \$3,000, providing you furnish me with a good mile track in both trials. Please let me know soon what you can do.

Yours &c.,
WILLIAM TRASK.

This offer called forth the following reply from the editor of the *City Item*:

"We last week made a proposition to Mr. Trask which does not seem to have suited him. As he seems confident of the mare being able to trot a mile in two minutes, *The Item* hereby agrees to furnish him with a purse of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) to do so over the Point Breeze track, or a purse of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) to beat 2:14, guaranteeing nothing in case of failure, and providing that a week's notice of acceptance is given, and that Mr. Trask, before the race against time, shows a reasonable amount of speed for half a mile, in a trial, so that this paper can feel safe in inviting the public to witness her performance."

If Mr. Trask accepts the *Item's* proposition the public will feel satisfied that he is sincere in lauding the merits of his mare; if he refuses it will be proof positive that the whole thing is a sham.

DEATH IN THE DRAMATIC PROFESSION.

WILLIAM PASTOR.

William Pastor, better known among the theatrical profession as "Billy Pastor," died at a late hour on the 23rd ult., at the residence of his brother "Tony," No. 115 West Seventeenth street, New York. Mr. Pastor, in his younger days, was connected with the circus business; but of late years he was manager of his brother's variety theatre on Broadway. For some time past he has been suffering from a tumor in his left breast. An operation was performed on the 22nd, and death, it is supposed, resulted from exhaustion following the operation.

GEO. L. FOX.

Geo. L. Fox, the well-known comedian and pantomimist, died on the afternoon of the 24th ult., at the residence of his brother-in-law, George O. Howard, No. 826 Main St., Cambridge, Mass., aged 52 years 3 months and 21 days. His death was very peaceful, and he recognized his friends but a short time previous.

EDWIN ADAMS.

Edwin Adams, the distinguished actor, died at Philadelphia on Sunday morning last. He was born at Medford, Mass., in 1834, and was descended from one of the old families of the Bay State. When nineteen years of age he made his debut in Boston, and for several years thereafter played light comedy characters. Developing a taste and decided talent for tragedy, he gradually grew into that line, and made a decided hit in it. In '69-'70, he played with Edwin Booth in New York, dividing the honors of the season with him. As Hamlet, he had few equals, and there are very many good critics who grant him superiority to Booth in this role. His last appearance in Toronto was in December '75, when he played under the management of Mrs. Morrison, at the Grand Opera House, as Hamlet, Enoch Arden, the Rover, and other characters. As an actor he was great, as a man he was good, and as a friend there was none to equal him.

and the influence of that character that brings ruin, for the meetings are only periodical, and in the intervals men quietly turn to regular pursuits, the details of which necessarily abrogate that love of venture that perpetual temptation invariably cultivates. Public opinion does not and never will protect gambling of any kind when followed as a business, but the same public sentiment does not, and never will, condemn wagers upon legitimate sporting events, if conducted within the prescribed limits of propriety, and these wagers are not made a business to amass private fortunes at the expense of public morals.—*Spirit of the Times.*

BREAKDOWN OF GARRY OWEN.—Jennings & Hunt's chestnut colt Garry Owen, three years old, by Baywood, dam Crownlet, broke down at Nashville last week.

Amusements.

CITY.

Miss Maud Granger, an actress of the emotional class, is the star this week at the Grand Opera House. She opened on Monday night in Camille, and gave a very natural impersonation of the character. Tuesday evening, Juliet, the loveliest of Shakespeare's female creations; Wednesday, Margaret Elmore in Love's Sacrifice; the balance of the week being filled up with Frou-Frou, &c. For the matinee to-morrow Camille is the bill. The support by the stock company has been very fair indeed, fully coming up to expectations. Next week Mr. J. T. Raymond as Col. Sellers. A reduction has been made in the prices at this house, which appears to be a move in the right direction.

The Queens keeps on the even tenor of its way, and nightly dishes up a variety programme for the delectation of its patrons.

GENERAL.

MONTREAL.—The Academy of Music Co. returned from Ottawa, and opened on Monday night in Kathleen Mavourneen; the same bill was repeated on Tuesday; Thursday, Friday and Saturday, The Big Bonanza.

HAMILTON.—Rollin Howard Opera Bouffe Co., at Mechanics' Hall, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.—Miss Jennie Abbott is the reigning star at the Opera House in the dramas of Saved and Olive Vereo.

LONDON.—The Mendelssohn Quintette Club, New Mechanics' Hall, Oct. 29.

ST. THOMAS.—Sophie Miles and Royal Star Dramatic Co. commenced a short season on Oct. 26.

FOR SALE, THE CELEBRATED STALLION CALOGRAM!

CALOGRAM, chestnut horse, foaled 1868, 16 hands ¼ inch; weighs 1,150 lbs. PEDIGREE—Calogram by Censor, dam imported Mand, by Stockwell; 2nd dam, Countess of Al'ernarby, by Stockwell; 3rd dam, sister to Hornsea, by Velociped; 4th dam, by Cerberus; 5th dam, Miss Crofted, by Sir Peter Toms; 6th dam by Pegasus; 7th dam, by Parnasser; 8th dam Pomona, by Horod; 9th dam, Caroline, by Snap; 10th dam, by Regulus; 11th dam by Whip; 12th dam, Large Hartley; 13th dam, Hartley's Blind Horse; 14th dam, by Flying Whig, by Williams' Woodstock Arabian; 15th dam, by St. Victor Barb; 16th dam, by Weynot (a son of Fenwick Barb); 16th dam, a Royal mare (See Bruce's Am. Stud Book, Vol. 1, p. 197) Censor, foaled 1859, by Lexington, dam Fleur de Lis (by imported Sovereign, out of Maria West Wagner's dam.) LEXINGTON, by Boston, dam Alce Carnel.

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