

STANDARD OF THE WORLD

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CHAPTER I.

The scene is Sandford-on-Sea, the the afternoon.

Sandford is not a fashionable watering-place; it consists of a few stragtieman, biessed with a sanguine nature, had once endeavored to make something of Sandford, and had built a pier and constructed a parade, in the hope that the London visitor would, attracted by the beauty of the scenery, attracted by the beauty of the scenery, attracted by the beauty of the scenery, and the parade and pier. the big hotel, and the parade and pier, come down in shoals, and make Sandford "a second Brighton;" but the sea ever be separated. Don't you mention washed away the parade and pier, and it, ma'am, and—good afternoon!"
the Londoners declined to take the six Then he turned to the young lady hours' journey which had to be gone and asked the important question through before Sandford could be "How mush?"

Sandford their own special property, and regarded a stranger and new-comer just as people in an omnibus or railway carriage regard the pasengers change—exactly fivepence—represented to the money and laid it on the counter. The penalized. The Alerts were in splendid change—exactly fivepence—represented to the money and put up one of the best shape and put up one who have the effrontery to get in after the whole of his wealth.

To belong to the army or navy was, in his pocket and walked out, away in their eyes, to be one of the social from the sea and along a lane leading elect, above suspicion, the equal of any- inland. one, and much above shopkeepers and There were some pretty little houses, artists and authors "and that kind of too large for cottages, not large enough people, you know," as porcelain is for villas; and the lights from the win-above common delf. Wasn't it Sydney have to be a special heaven for naval more complete. He made haste to get

Five o'clock on an October afternoon reached a corner of the lane did he and military Christians? Five o'clock on an October afternoon take the roll out of his pocket.

was not the best time to see Sandford, take the roll out of his pocket.

"I may as well have it comfortably," if may as well have it comfortably," he said. "There will be no charge for the men were playing billiards at the ladies were sitting he said." the club, and the ladies were sitting he said. few minutes after the church clock he sat down under a tree and comhad struck, a young man sauntered menced his-dinner. down the steep hill in front of the It was all very quiet. Although no round him with the evident air of a and, excepting the tinkling of a piano

It was not a bad kind of day for October, and it was anything but a bad view; the bay is a grand and open one, the cliffs to right and left of it but he did not fill it, and, with a sigh, are high and picturesque, and there was put it back again; he was out of to-just enough sun to light up the green bacco. waves as they rolled in, and the Probably this depressed him more greener grass of the meadows, com- than his scanty meal, for he stopped

a minute or two, then nedded approv-'Pretty, rather. I've seen worse

great deal more admiration if I wasn't Then he looked up at the hotel, and he started and looked up. so confoundedly hungry."

mechanically turned over two or three

just the kind of place where they feed was guilty of staring at her; and it confoundedly hungry. I've a great He mused for a minute or two, then from here?"

shook his head. isn't something less high and mighty -it was growing dark, and the lane was plunging his hands into the pockets of voice reassured her, and with an acmet turned to look after him, and there something about the young fellow which attracted their attention over and above his being a stranger.

the first place, he was tall and splendidly made, and although his clothes were old and worn, he had the mistakable look of a gentleman. He was young-eight-and-twentyand handsome into the bargain, with a refined-looking face and dark-brown

eyes; but there was a look about both face and eyes which seemed to indicate that a portion of the eight-andtwenty years had been "lived hard." There were one or two lines which one loes not always see in youth, and there was an expression of mingled which suggested that life had not been altogether beer-and-skittles to their He looked rather older than years in consequence of a beard and hair worn longer than is the fash-

That he was in splendid health and a tramp!" of great strength could be seen by the brightness of his glance, and that peculiar air of self-reliance and consciousness of power which the strong man carries about with him.

He made his way along what organice and give it her back. Oh. yes, you and today they are rushing back as it is considered likely to be the world and a great future awaits to bet when the odds drop a point or August, 1899. S. H. Which it is considered likely to be three-quarter mile unpaced amateur record from 1:37 to 1:32 3-5. The previous record was made by B. F. Stowe and today they are rushing back.

began examining the shops. Presently lings? But you don't do it, my friend he came to the baker's. There was a You'll put your pride in your pocket-

dragging up to the window and stopped, as he had done. They were shockingly poorly clothed, and if they were
not hungry, the look which they bestowed when the contents of the winchildren clinging to her dress came stowed upon the contents of the window was a mockery and a snare. Neither the woman nor the children said
a word; but after staring for a minute with wistful eyes, she caught hold

But I think if he had known the linportance of the question the shilling
had decided for him, that laugh would
have been left out.

[To be Continued.] ute with wistful eyes, she caught hold of a hand of each and drew them gent-

ly away. Then one of the children, a girl, began to whimper; but without a word. The young man looked after word. The young man looked after them for a moment, then he followed and laid his hand on the child's shoul-"Hallo!" he said, cheerfully, and

with that peculiar smile which child-ren understand so well. "Would you like a bun, Ittle 'un? You would, eh?" or both the children's faces flushed, and their eyes shone with the wild hope that sprang up in their hungry little bosoms, "Come on, then! You'd better ome, too, and see that they don't eat too much," he added to the woman pleasantly.

The poor creature hung back a moment, murmuring something; but the young fellow took hold of the girl's hand and led her back to the shop, the others following.

"Just give my young friends a-aoh, we'll help ourselves, miss," he said to the young lady behind the counter, who stared at the quartette in anything but an inviting fashion. "Here try some of these, they look good; anyway, they'll do to start on!" and he leant over the window barrier and "Better try one yourself, ma'am," he said, and thrust a plate into the woman's hand. Then he went to the end month October, the hour 5 o'clock in of the shop and became apparently deeply absorbed in a colored show-card recommending somebody's "two-shil-

ling tea," The woman and children ate ravengling houses, a church to which everybody goes on Sunday, and an hotel which is as deserted as Goldsmith's Village. An enterprising gen-quered, he took up a quartern loaf, and tleman, blessed with a sanguine na-slipping it under the woman's shawl,

They were poor — most of them — then taking up a roll, laid down a penny and sauntered out. Watching They were poor — most of them — then taking up a roll, laid down a but proud; proud of their good birth and titled connections, proud of three starved persons eat had not made three starved persons eat had not made the him any the less hungry. But as he never having touched that dreadful him any the less hungry roll on A thing. Trade, and prouder than all of did not care to devour a penny roll on officers in her majesty's service. the High street of Sandford, he put it

who remarked that there would make the October chilliness all the away from them, and not until he had

the fire at afternoon tea; but a a seat, I suppose?" and with a laugh

and, stopping short, looked yet dark the birds had gone to bed. in one of the houses he had passed there was absolutely no sound.

mon-meadows, which lay behind the the whistle which he had commenced and leaning his head upon his hand The young man looked at it all for sat silently contemplating the last rays of the setting sun.

Presently a footstep, a light but firm one, broke the stillness; but the young places than this. But I could afford a fellow was so lost in thought that he did not hear it, and it was not until a young girl came almost up to him that

It was so sudden and unexpected an coins which reposed in the bottom of interruption to his thoughts, and the girl herself had so beautiful a face, and "Hem! I wonder whether it would was altogether such a graceful specidinner? I'm afraid not. Looks men of nature's handiwork, that you on electro-plated salvers and cru- was rather for the sake of saying ets, and charge you almost their something that should explain away his weight in real silver. And yet I'm rudeness than because he wanted the "Can you tell me how far Thirle is

The girl stopped and looked at him. "No: won't do. I must see if there at first with a faint suggestion of fear, a lonely one-but something in his A stranger is so rare an animal in for he was pale under his tan as a Sandford that one or two people he man who had only eaten a penny roll ate

might well be she said: "Thirle? It is three miles from here." "Thank you," he said, and he just

lifted his hat. She may have mistaken the gesture for the familiar one of the professional but, anyway, after a second's pause, she took a shilling purse in her hand and held it out to

The young fellow did not start no color, but he looked at her for a moment, a look straight into her eyes, then, holding out his hand, said:

"Thank you." It was she who colored: but she le the shilling drop, and, without a word, passed on.

The young fellow stood with the coin lying in his open palm; but his eyes were fixed on the retreating figure. "She took me for a tramp!" he murmured, and he caught his lips between his teeth. "A tramp! Great heavens-Then he looked at the shil-

wound that beautiful creature's feel- patronize home products-Foot Elm is ings? But you don't do it, my friend. a Canadian Remedy, and the whole he came to the baker's. There was a most entrancing smell of hot bread and cakes, and with a half-smile he stood and surveyed the contents of the window critically.

"Now, I wonder," he said to himself, the only perfect and safe Vacuum Appliance is manufactured and controlled by the Eric Medical Co., 94 Mohawk street, Buffalo, N.Y., who administer in connection with it interior and exterior armedies having a world-wide can be and the shilling: that is what you'll do! and he suited the action to the word. "By George! what luck! But for that angel I should have had to spend the night in some loft or on the tramp! But I'll get a bed in on one of the little inns pow! And I'll dream of her!"

The inspiration seemed to cheer him, for his handsome face brightened and loked five years younger.

"Three miles to Thirle," she said. What a beautiful voice! By Jove! I was a beautiful voice! By Jove! I world cannot produce a better article for tired, swollen, sweaty, tender feet. Send stamp for particulars of our \$100 in prizes.

It A. STOTT & JURY, Bowmanville, Ont.

FOOT ELM

The inspiration seemed to cheer him, for his handsome face brightened and love and the shilling: that is what you'll do! and the suited the action to the word and the shilling: that is what you'll do! and the shil

gry to get such an appetite as this, and with a short laugh at the Irishism, he took a step towards the door.

As he did so, a woman with two as her dress came something more than coin.

But I think if he had known the im-

# TO GO TO GUELPH COMFORTABLE LEAD

Game With Elora-Exeter Badly Beaten.

Guelph, Ont., July 20.-The lacrosse match between Elora and Guelph to-day resulted with a score of 4 to 2 in favor of Guelph. This victory practically gives the championship of the district to Guelph, as there are only

three more games to play. BRADFORD AN EASY WINNER. of the C. L. A. took place today, be-tween the Newmarket and Bradford clubs. It was expected by the home team that they would have a pretty hard tussle to win, but when the result was shown they had run against the easiest game of the season, the score being 8 to 1 in favor of the home team. The game was free from extreme roughness. Mr. Waghorne refereed.

HOME TEAM WON. Fergus, Ont., July 20.-In a junior championship C. L. A. match played nere today between the Lornes Mount Forest and Thistles of Fergus, home team won by a score of 9 to The Thistles were much lighter 4. The Thistles were much lighter than their opponents and prospects are winning their district. bright for winning thei Kearns, of Arthur, refereed.

EXETER NOT IN CLINTON'S CLASS. Clinton, Ont., July 20.—The lacrosse match played here this evening between Exeter and Clinton gives the

NOT ONE PLAYER PENALIZED. through before Sandford could be reached.

At present, the houses were inhabited by quite a little colony of retired and half-pay officers, who considered Sandford their own special property, shape and put up one of the best games of the season. The Meaford

A CORRECTION.

credit for only 14 birds out of 25,

TRIAL OF MAGNATE GRIFFITH POSTPONED

Cleveland, O., July 20 .- Judge Ford, sued a temporary restraining order The results were as follows: forbidding the trial of Howard C. Free-for-all half-mile heats: Griffiths, of Jersey City, by a commisbaseball magnates, on a H. charge of trying to wreck the Ameri- P can League, and further forbade the publishing of any facts concerning the A. Harkness trial, should it already have taken place. The trial was to have started this morning in this city. The hear-

ing in court will come up next Mon-The national commission consists of A. Garry Herrmann, of Cincinnati, chairman: Ban Johnson and Harry liam, as secretary. These are the four ersons enjoined.

In order to avoid the legal complica tions that might be incurred under the njunction obtained by Howard Griffith today, the National ommission did not take up the charges preferred against him, but in a meet ing this afternoon adopted a resolution calling on the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, on or before Aug. 15, to present to this commission satisfactory proof as to wheher the statements and representations if made) of certain of its officers, in ar endeavor to disrupt organized baseball, was with the authority and consent of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, and at the same time and place to inform been taken by the said National association to punish or discipline its said officers so charged with so flagrantly and publicly attempting to disrupt and organized baseball.

The resolution sets forth that unless the terms be complied with by the National association, that all rights guaranteed to it by the agreement of Sept 11. 1903, shall at once cease and termin-

LONDONS WON CLOSE GAME FROM THISTLES

The Thistle Club bowlers visited the London Club bowlers and gave them a great race in an inter-club match. The Londons managed to win out by four shots in the closest game of the series. The scores:

W. T. Snelgrove, T. Alexander, Millman, E. Barbour, Vining. A. McPherson, sk james Reid, W. J. Hayward. Wm. Boughner, W. T. Cox, Nightingale, W. T. Cox, McNee, skip.....18 Ed. Weld, skip...

Majority for London, 4 shots.

Canada For Canadians,

to have been the parade for a time; but, getting rather tired of the sea, turned up into the principal road and began examining the shops.

Description of the sea, the sea of the sea, would be shops.

Description of the sea, the sea of the sea, would be save your own miserable pride, you'd country. Canadians should be shops. country. Canadians should learn to THE RING. world cannot produce a better article

PARK IS AT AN END

Windsor, July 20 .- The Detroit University has purchased the north half of the Highland Park Association's race track for a new large school building, and racing at that track is at an end. What the club will do or whether they will be racing here after this year is not known. The association controls the Windsor track. It is quite possible that meetings will be held there.

# WOODSTOCK HAS

Championship Cinched in a Looks Like Winner of Western Ontario League-St. Thomas Tail-Ender.

Woodstock has a very comfortable lead in the Western Ontario Baseball League, having a percentage of .818, with nine games won and two lost. Ingersoll is the most dangerous competitor, standing well up in the race, with one victory less than Woodstock Bradford, Ont., July 20. — The first and two more losses. Third place is natch here in the intermediate series held by Brantford, while St. Thomas held by Brantford, while St. Thomas appears to be hopelessly out of the race. The Saints have played eleven games, ten of which have been lost.

The standing: .818 Woodstock .....9 .667 .400 .091 Ingersoll ... ..... Brantford ... ... THE SAME OLD STORY.

St. Thomas was given its usual dose yesterday at Woodstock. The Saints were beaten by their own errors, Mc-Donald was put out of the game for "sassing" Umpire Sharkey. The score: R. H. E. and J. Steele.

GOOD GAME AT INGERSOLL. Ingersoll and Brantford played a fine game of ball at Ingersoll yesterday. Plenty of hitting and fast fielding later another victory, the score being made it a very interesting match.

15 to 0 in favor of Clinton. "Knotty" Lee's bunch lost 9 to 5, with "Knotty" himself pitching. The score

Ingersoll ... ... 9 10 and Elliott. Umpire Stockton. GAME AT CALEDONIA.

Caledonia, July 20. — The Caledonia ball team was defeated by Dunn-yille in the Haldimand League game here today by a score of 8 to 3. Bat-teries—Caledonia, Lawrence and Haw-thorne; Dunnville, Schofield and Julius. GAME POSTPONED.

The Strathroy-McClary game, which was to take place on Aug. 2, has been In the report of the Springwood Gun postponed until Aug. 16. The manage Club's shoot yesterday. Day was given of the two teams met yesterday and arrived at that decision. It was though whereas he made 24. He made the re-markable score of 48 out of 50 birds in Rocket games might be affected if the first arrangement was carried out.

BELMONT MATINEE

DREW A LARGE CROWD

A large crowd, numbering over 600, of the common pleas court, today is- attended the matinee races at Belmont. Free-for-all, half-mile heats: W. G. Sippi ..... Wilcox ..... Mr. Sippi finished first in the second heat, but was set back for driving Green pace, half-mile heats: Mr. Coughlin a charge of theft. It was asserted by Mr. D. Thody was the starter. The next matinee will be held Tue

day evening, Aug. 1. TWO RACES WERE WON IN STRAIGHT HEATS

Good racing was furnished at the Windsor meeting yesterday. The track town 47. Three rinks played. was fast. The summaries: First race, 2:24 pace:

Nightingale, Springfield Sally Pointer, J. K. Wheat. Tommy Burns, W. H. McCarthy. 3 3 2 3 club College King, D. McLachlin.... 4 4 dr was: Second race, 2:17 trot: Danube, Eastview Stock Farm. edale, Balt Stock Farm., 4 Marnut, Dich McMahon... Pat T., Rody Patterson

Third and fourth money divided between Pat T. and Marnut. Time-2:15¼, 2:15¼, 2:14¼. 

BRITT IS FAVORITE

San Francisco, July 21.—James E. city. A large cr Britt, of California, and "Kid" Sulli-van, of Washington, will meet at THE WHEEL. Woodward's Pavilion tonight to battle the world. The men will weigh in this evening at 133 pounds, and both will be nearly at weight. Britt is a 2 to 1 the saucer track here. Jack Hume did yester the saucer track here. Jack Hume did yester the saucer track here. Sullivan money is not plentiful, his the former record of 2:02 3-5 made by We have the grandest country in backers patiently waiting for a chance W. H. Wharenburger at New York the world and a great future awaits to bet when the odds drop a point or August, 1899. S. H. Wilcox lowered the

McLEOD DOWN AND OUT. St. John, N. B., July 20 .- In the sixth round of what was to have been a 10round fight, Mike (Twin) Sullivan, of Boston, won from Beth McLeod, St. John, before 2,000 people last night in Victoria Rink. It was an even thing in the earlier rounds, but Sullicontinuous body blows had Mc-so weakened in the sixth that Referee Jack Power gave the victory

## SATURDAY STIMULATORS



Summer Millinery is being cleared at bargain prices-considerably less than half price. Come before the best is picked out.

#### Be Here Tomorrow for Silk Waists.

Cream Habutai Silk Waists, five tucks in back and front, trimmed with wide valenciennes insertion lace, fuil sleeves, lace cuffs and tucked collar. These are dainty waists and cool for midsummer wear. All sizes, regular value \$3.50. On

sale tomorrow and tomorrow night. Special.....

Cool Wash Dresses-These cool, well-made washable dresses are selling fast WHITE LAWN KIMONOS, 75c. \$1.25 PETTICOATS AT 69c.

#### Summer Gloves.

Ladies' Suede Lisle Gloves, Fownes' make, 2-dome, in black, gray and beaver, at...... 50c

Ladies' Taffeta Gloves, 3-clasp, black, white, beaver and gray, at ...........45c

Black Sun Parasols, guaranteed fast tops with steel rod, new handles. Special value...... \$1.00

#### Net Corsets.

Ladies' English Net Corsets, well strapped with jean. Saturday ..... 39c Ladies' Fine White Cotton Night Gowns, embroidery trimmed. Regular \$1.25 value, Saturday ......93c

Ladies' Full Front Corset Covers, small sizes, slightly soiled. Were \$1.00, at......69c

### Latest Neckwear.

As usual we have prepared for Saturday a showing of the newest Neckwear. Our counter affords the choicest

English Eyelet Embroidery Collar and Cuff Sets, at White Hemstitched Linen and Embroidered Linen Lawn Collar and Cuff Sets, at......25c New Embroidery Buster Brown Collars, at.....

in outside sizes for stout figures, 30 to 37 inches 35c

Black Taffeta Girdle Belts, sateen lined, gilt buckle,

Saturday Shirt Bargains. A big lot of Men's Sum-

mer Negligee Shirts, made of fine Scotch Zephyrs and Ginghams, blue and white and white and black, separate cuffs. Good one dollar value, on sale today and tomorrow,

59c Each.

Sizes 141/2 to 17.

### Men's Working Trousers, 98c.

All sizes in Men's Tweed Working Trousers at 98c for Saturday's selling. Good dark 

J. H. Chapman & Co 126

126, 128, 128 1/2 DUNDAS ST.,

the police that Hall was one of three men who is alleged to have picked the pockets of a passenger on a street car. Hall denies the charge,

LAWN BOWLING. BLENHEIM WON. Blenheim, July 20.—In a bowling Ridgetown and Blenheim, the home team won by a majority of 49 points,

the score being: Blenheim 96, Ridge-MITCHELL WON.

Marys. Mitchell. J. Moir, R. S. Box, E. Lee, J. Jones, M. Adam, Poole, skip..... H. H. Stevenson, L. Downey. sk...25 E. Wilson, Andrew, Myers ... E. F. Davis.

W. B. Barley ... Maxwell. Total 

LACROSSE. TIE WILL BE DECIDED HERE. rules to govern. (Signed), W. La St. Thomas and Chatham are tie in Free Press; H. Fowler, Advertiser. district No. 1, of the C. L. A., and it has been decided to play the tie off in TENNIS. this city. Each team has scored a vic-IN FIGHT AT 2 TO 1 do much to revive the sport. A team

witness the match.

TWO RECORDS BROKEN. odds the the mile unpaced in 2:00 2-5, breaking

PACER GALLAGHI R

GOES TO ENGLAND

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\*\*July 1.—"Jim" Hail, for-life the major of the continuous of Australia, was owned by Mr. McMillan, of life the major of the continuous to the continuous to the continuous to the following list of stake fort, but the other events were very events for the autumn meeting of the outsiders, between the following list of stake events for the autumn meeting of the outsiders, between the continuous to include Saturday. Sept. 16.

Bradford, Pa., July 20. — The Canaboro for the older was sold here dian pacer Gallagher was sold here devents for the autumn mounces the following list of stake deventy contents of the O. J. C., which will begin on Saturday. Sept. 18.

To be start of the Ontario Stake deventy on Sa

prize ring, was arrested yesterday on PRESSMEN TO TACKLE CITY HALL OFFICIALS

The city hall officials will be led like ambs to the chop mill next week, when he "pencil-pushers" of the local added, for 3-year-olds and up, 2 1-16 lambs to the chop mill next week, when the "pencil-pushers" papers get them into a ball match. The miles. match played here today between press will "eat 'em alive" and enjoy brought to the ears of that most fearful body, the reporters, that Jimmy Bell and Clarence Robinson, et al., are lying in wait for the "news gatherers," and desire to entice them into a ball Mitchell, July 20. — Yesterday the match. The press men hereby, sub judice, and with malice aforethought, their initial game with the Mitchell all damages to be paid out of the sink-The press men hereby, sub club on the Mitchell green. The score ing fund, do invite them to the shambles, and what the pencil-pushers will do to them! To show their sinister designs, have not the city hall men said they will put Police Magistrate Love behind the bat. What care the newspaper men, for the aforesaid police magistrate is now suffering with "charleyhorse" on his left wrist, received while playing ball at a Sunday school picnic. Herewith find appended the defi:

'Acting City Clerk Robinson, City "On behalf of the staffs of the two newspapers you are hereby challenged to play a game of baseball at Tecumseh Park any day next week. Nine men a side and Marquis of Queensbury W. Laut.

AMERICANS CHOSEN.

this city. Each team has scored a victory over the other. The deciding match will be worth attending. Lacrosse is somewhat dead in this city at present, and a good game might do much to revive the sport. A team could be placed in the C. L. A. next year, that would be a credit to the other will be begun at Wimbledon togety. A large crowd of Londoners will support the could be placed in the C. L. A. next year, that would be a credit to the other will be begun at Wimbledon togety. A large crowd of Londoners will support the could be placed in the C. L. A. next year, that would be a credit to the other will be begun at Wimbledon togety. A large crowd of Londoners will support the could be placed in the C. L. A. next year, that would be a credit to the property of the could be begun at Wimbledon togety. A large crowd of Londoners will support the could be begun at Wimbledon togety. The could be begun at Wimbledon togety. The could be placed in the C. L. A. next year, that would be a credit to the could be begun at Wimbledon togety. The could be begun at Wimbledon togety. The could be placed in the C. L. A. next year. The could be placed in year, that would be a credit to the which will be begun at Wimbledon to-day, but the right is retained to change witness the match.

Harry, Perrige & Tracy, Petersoro ran, Time—2:19¼, 2:19¼, 2:19¼, 2:19¼, 2:22, 2:22, 2:13 pace and trot, purse \$200; these nominations at the last moment.

Hall Patron, Perrige & Tracy, The meet is looked forward to with great interest and practically every seat has already been booked.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS. At Fort Erie-Itaska 15 to 1, Lulu Young 5 to 1, Halifax 3 to 5, Our Bessie to 2, Alcantara 5 to 1, Apter IX. 2 to 3.

At Latonia-Chicora Maid 10 to 1 Gillett 16 to 5, Haviland 7 to 10, Rec Leaf 7 to 1, Agnolo 6 to 1, Parisienne At Brighton Beach-Sue Smith 5 to 2, Chimney Sweep 6 to 1, Whimsical 2 to laid 7 to 5 against the field. Apteryx Sysonby 1 to 30, Alan-a-Dale even, went to the front after the first jump All Right 2 to 1. O. J. C. FALL STAKE EVENTS.

Toronto, July 20.-C. P. Fraser, sec-

Michaelmas handicap, \$1,000, for 2year-olds; 6 furlongs. Entries close Aug. . To be run Wednesday, Sept. 10. Pheasant plate, selling, \$1,000, for 3year-olds and up, 1 mile and 1 furlong. Closes Saturday, Aug. 12. To be run

run Saturday, Sept. 16. THE CLOSE AT PICTON. Picton, Ont., July 20.—Following are the results of the second last day's races:
First race, 2:30 class:
Aceta, P. McGinnis, Shannonville. 1 1 1 Minnie Bell, Geo. Powell, Orillia .... 4 Time-2:251/4, 2:291/4, 2:291/2. Second race, free-for-all:

Closes Saturday, Aug. 12. To be

Doctor H., Mr. Ketchum, Toronto.. 1 1 1 Helen R., Phil Davies, Toronto.... 2 Time-2:17½, 2:17, \*2:15½. \*Track record lowered from 2:16 to 2:151/2. Third race, three-quarters mile run: Bird Slayer ...... 1 Marsden Moore, Smith, Montreal..... 3 Victoria, John Coventry, Toronto.... My Honey, J. F. & F. Hughes, Mon Blue Miracle, Sutherland, Ogdens-

Time-1:181/2, 1:19. HAL PATRON A WINNER. Montreal, July 20. - There was some good racing at Delorimer Park today, five heats being run off. Following

were the results: 2:29 trot and pace, purse \$300: 

Billy Hurd. Newport Stock Farm. 2
O'Leary, M. E. Sted, Mount
Holly, Vt. Guesner, Alexander Hunter, Ot-Antidee, T. Bonnenfant, Charle Time-2:16½, 2:17¾, 2:11¾.

WON IN RUNAWAY STYLE. Buffalo, N. Y., July 26. - John Ferriss' Apteryx won the steeplechase at Fort Erie in runaway style today. He was an odds-on choice and the ring and led to the finish by 40 leng Nesto and Maroma fell before they made one turn of the field, but Mattocks and Gee were not hurt. Halifax