# Windsor Joekey Club.

## THE FIRST MEETING A GREAT SUCCESS.

# Fine Weather and a Good Track.

THE RACES WELL PATRONIZED BY THE FAIRER PART OF THE COMMUNITY AS WELL AS THE STERNER SEX.

WINDSOR has done well in setting an example that cannot fail to bear fruit. Five thousand six hundred dollars was a lot of money for the royal borough to give at its first venture in a running way; but the results have proved that the enterprise was warranted. Across the river at the abandoned Hamtramck Track, Detroit, an effort was made some years ago to popularize running, but the encouragement was so slight that after the second year the idea was abandoned With the Windsor Jockey Club's meeting a success, brighter times must be ahead for the thoroughbred. In fact the effect is already palpable, for St. Thomas has appointed a committe to see what can be done towards holding a running meeting there on July 2 and 3.

While the elite of Essex and of Detroit honored the Windsor meeting by their presence, there were many visitors from distant parts, notably His Honor Lieutenant Governor Kirpatrick, who was called upon for a couple of speeches and was most happy in the matter thereof.

Betting was fairly brisk, but as the majority of the horses had been well tried at Toronto and Hamilton there was not that keen desire manifested on the part of speculators that characterizes a gathering where the competitors are more of an unknown quantity. The track was fast, and as a consequence one or two Canadian records were made. Mr. Seagram was once more well to the fore, winning the largest share of the money, and scoring 6 firsts, 4 seconds and 1 third. Thanks to the steeplechaser King's County, who has come along finely, Mr. John Nixon, of this city, is well up on the winning list having \$1,065 to his credit for 3 wins, 2 seconds and a third.

### THE RACING

Mr. F. H. Walker drove the Lieutenant Governor and party to the course in a four-in-hand brake. Mr. Sol. White, M. introduced his honor to the assembled three thousand, and he, after briefly commenting on the usefulness of horse racing and complimenting the Windsor Jockey Club on its pluck in promoting the meeting, formally signified that the sport might proceed. Then the bugle sounded for the first race.

baker's dozen took the flag for the first race and after some delay, owing to the restiveness of one or two of the horses, Starter French let 'em go on pretty even terms. From the moment the quarter stretch was reached there were only two in it—Penniless, the second choice, and Stonemason, the favorite.
The latter essayed to give the former 23
lbs, but the task was too great and

Penniless finally won somewhat handily, Messrs. Smith & Risch, the colt's owners, having backed him down from 7 to 1 to 2 to 1, and making a lot of money. At Toronto and Hamilton the con-federacy lost a couple of thousand dollars, but at Windsor they about recovered themselves.

The next race, the Tecumseh Purse was a record breaker. Saragossa, Co Saragossa, quette, Bowstring and Long Bend were the starters. As he was meeting Mr. Hendrie's mare on 13 lbs. better terms than when she defeated him in the Wellington Handicap at Hamilton, Saragossa was made a warm favorite, and although Coquette ran most gamely and compelled Regan on her rival to punish his horse, Saragossa justi ned the confidence reposed in him by win ning handily with an open length to the in the Canadian record-breaking time of 1.484 for the distance, 1.1-16 mile the even mile being covered in 1.42, also the fastest time in the Dominion. gossa has proved himself a great horse this season so far.

The 2-year old event that followed was more picnic for Mr. Seagram's pair, Halfling and Rossmar.

Joe Millar and Japonica had a duel for the Vineyard Handicap over nine furlong that succeeded, and the Queen's Plater placed \$300 more to the credit of his owner. Japonica finished a length behind him, the poor brood mare Annie D, never being in it

steeplechase closed proceedings for the day. Flip-Flap, the favorite, let King's County get too far ahead of her and Mr. Nixon's horse won, Baronet finishing second.

#### THE DETAILS. Penniless At Last.

First Race-Initial Purse, \$250; 6 furlor Finer Rave, Initial Purse, \$200; fetriongs: 1 Pennilles, Smith & Risch-ich., 3 by Spend-thrift-Herial, 196 (Mason). 2 Stonemson, J. E. Sengran's ch.h., aged, by Stonehenge — Mary Buckley, 129 (Regan, 3 Tom Flynn, Co. Strafth's k-h., 5 by Empe-or Sfaccato, 129 (Risc) lock. Also ran, Cottudals, Berdenite, Springbuck, Frankir C., Lady Cuttle, Evalence, Lan-tandra, Marchalles, Jamine R., The Piper and Cor-londer, Marchalles, Landra (Landra, Marchalles, Lan-tandra, Marchalles, Landra, Landra, Marchalles, Lan-tandra, Marchalles, Landra, Landra, Marchalles, Lan-tandra, Marchalles, Landra, Landra, Marchalles, Landra, Marchalles, Landra, Landra, Marchalles, Landra, Landra

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Won by three lengths; the same between
second and third, against Stonemason, 5 to 2
Perulless, 15 to Tom Flynn, 8 to 1 Cottomate,
Curtis, 60 to 1 each Springbluck, The Flynr, Corinder and Evangeline, 160 to 1 each Franklet,
and Lamoshire Witch. Two dollar mutuals

Saranossa Reats Out Connett. SECOND RACE Tecumseth Purse, \$300; 11-16

mile: 2008. J. M. F. Tecumeth Pures, 1990; 1.1-16.

1 Saracosa, J. E. Seagram's h.c., 4, by Duke of Montree, Edine, 129 Heegam, 2.1-16.

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3 Howetring, Wm, Hendries c.h.d., 3 by Jalend — Guitar, & Hamson, b.h., 6, by Longview Mary Williams, 121 (Malin).

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Won by two lengths; five between second and third.

10 2 on Saragoosa, 8, 10 5 against.

Computer, 30 to 1 Resystem, 6.1.

and third.

\*\*Betting-5 to 2 on Saragossa, 8 to 5 against Coquette, 20 to 1 Bowstring, 50 to 1 Longbend. Mutuals paid \$6.65.

Mr. Seagram's Youngsters 

Flamboro, 124

(Houghest, also ran.

Time 694,

Won by length; a length and a half betermine 104, 105

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Joe Miller's Sixth Win. CRTH RACE-Vineyard Handicap, \$400 Canadian-bred horses; I mile and a fur-

long: Joe Miller, J. E. Sengram's br.c., 3, by Spring-field, Milly, 12 (Regan., 1997). Manager of the Mills, 18 (Regan., 1997). Manager of Monlingh, 119 (Mason). Manager of the Mills of

Won by 3-4 length; 6 lengths between second at third. ird. ing 2 to 1 orr Joe Miller, 8 to 5 against ica, 30 to 1 Annie D, 40 to 1 Ben Hur.

King's County Beats Flip-Flap. FIFTH RACE—St. Clair steeplechase, \$350; bout 2 miles;

about 2 miles.

1 Kings County, John Nixon's brh. 6, by
Woodlands Tuscaloon, 110 (Hamilton).

2 Harrond, 7, boant's chig. 6, by Baron Rothstan,

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3 Filip Flag. Brookchale Stable's hm. aged by
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3 Henkfres-Neth, fall (bund).

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4 Henkfres-Neth, fall (bund).

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and third.

Betting—5 to 4 on Flip-Flap, 3 to 1 each against King's County and Garwood, 8 to 1 Baronet 15 to 1 Tom Flynn.

#### SECOND DAY.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8TH.

In perfect summer weather the second day's races were decided. In the opening event Wist, the winner of the Consolation race at Toronto, was made favorite, but although he gave Cottonade 5 lbs. and a beating there over a mile, he could not concede her 3 lbs. over three-quarters of a mile at Windsor, the mare winning very nicely from Charlie Phair's son of the Australian Darebin, Two Lips, Wist being third.

Joe Miller and Penniless came together for the Jean Baptiste handicap over 9 furiongs. The Queen's Plater was the favorite, but the foreigner beat him very handily in 1.58½. Joe Miller must be a sore horse and has well carned a prolonged rest, which it is said will be given him after he has run one race at Montreal this week, the one race being the comments week, the one race being the comments week, this record to date—that is from Dorby. His record to date—that is from the comments were successful. May 24 to June 8—is: 8 races run, 6 firsts and 2 seconds. His winnings His winnings amount to \$4250 in stakes and purses, no betting being included. Surely this is a great record for a Canadian-bred horse in his own country to accomplish in ten racing days, or within two weeks alto-

That uncertain Montreal gelding Quitoski won the Hunters' Steeplechase in costume, that came third on this day, defeating Laughingstock and Waterloo, and carrying off the Minister of Militia's \$250 silver cup as well as \$200 in added money. Between three such unreliables as we have here it is no wonder that the betting was light, the public manifesting a general desire to leave 'em alone, to which probably the bookies had very little objection.

Stonemason was beaten for the s time at this meeting in the Frontier Han dicap, that capital mare Coquette, owned by Mr. Hendrie, doing the trick with much neatness and dispatch, although much neatness and dispatch, although she was giving Mr. Seagram's horse the benefit of his age. Stonemason, like Joe Miller, is evidently in need of a let up.

King's County had a little of what in England would be called "real jam" in the Britannia hurdle Handicap that rang down the curtain on the second day, for he held his field safe all the way Japonica with 15 lbs. and a year in her favor being unable to keep pace with him, while Garwood, carrying 2 lbs. more than the mare, was in the same predicament.

THE DETAILS. Cottonade in a Big Field.

First Race-Breeze Purse, \$225; selling; 6

furlongs:—
1 Cottonade, Jos. Martin's ch.m., 5, by King Alfonso-Cottona, 114 (Martin), 2 Two Lips, Chas, Phair's b.h., 6, by Darebin— Kiss-MecQuick, 112 (Mason), 3 Wist, J. Tribo's b.h., i, by Kright of Ellerslie —Press Onward, 117 (Flint).

Lycurgus II., 3, 163 (Hueston); Banelletta, 3, 29 (Harrison); The Mallard, 4, 110 (Douglas); Coughlin, 4, 115 Tanner; Lonely, a, 112 (Gal-lagher); Counterfelt, 166 (Brooker) and Frankle C., 4, 105 (Swifter) also ran.

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Joe Miller's Second Defeat.

SECOND RACE Jean Baptiste Haudicap, \$60; for three-year-olds; a mile and a furious:

1or three-year-one; a mile and a furiong: 1 Penniless, Smith & Risch's ch.c., by Speacherift—Bridal, 122 (Mason). 2 Joe Miller, J. E. Seagram's br.g., by Springfield—Milly, 117 (Regan). 3 Bowstring, Wu, Hondrie's ch.f., by Linden—Guitar, 112 (Flint).

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A Bud Seuson for Waterlow.
THIND RAY—Hunter's Stephechase, \$25 each
Hon, J. C. Patterson's \$25 eup; about 7 min.
I Quitoski, W.H. Kyans' bg., 6 by Quito Mg
bec, 160 (Dunlop).
Laughingstock, A. Beck's bg., a., by Cang
—Mirth, 169 (Capt, Hausen).
Waterloo, Dr. Campbell's bg., a., by Sirakin
—Shany Wiser, 150 (Mr. Loudon).
Than Waterloop and Grant Mr. Loudon.
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Won by twenty lengths; a furlong between second and third.

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Firrii Razze-Britannia Hurdle Haodess,

\$30 : a mile and a half ; over six hurdle.

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Moonlight, 136 (Moxley), 50 Barth, 50 Barth

Mileta, 136 (Phair).

Garvood, A. N. Smiley's br.h., 5, b Darth

Mileta, 136 (Phair).

Gardon, J. M. Samiley's br.h., 5, b Darth

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## THIRD AND LAST DAY.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9TH.

This was Getaway day and it was a beauty, weather and track being the lest possible and, as regards sport, when it is stated that in three out of the six rece the verdict after punishing finishes, was short heads apart it will be understa there was not much amiss. The field however, were generally small. The performance of Laughing Stock in the fourth race was an extraordinary one. After throwing his rider McBride, hers Arter throwing his rater McDride, acha around fully two miles and then rac George C. to half a head in the rac. McBride was badly shaken up and Dr. R. Casgrain sewed up an ugly cut in one of his legs.

Lycurgus II, who ran in the first no on the second day was entered for the first race to-day, but a charge was made that he was a ringer and the stewards preferring to err on the side of caution, declined to allow him to start. Morpheus, conceding all the rest of then from 7 to 40 lbs., ran like the thorough bred that he is and won easily Lips made a bid for the race but when it came to the final struggle he could not stay the pace.

That rattling colt Saragossa gave 'enall weight for the Windsor Purse over 9 for longs and at 10 to 1 on without persu sion won hands down. Next to Joe Mi ler, Saragossa has proved himself the lest breadwinner of the stable at the Canada breadwinner of the standing : 6 starts, 4 races, his record standing : 6 starts, 4 of money to his credit is \$3,225 and the

Walker cup at Toronto valued at \$100.
Imported Halfling and Rossmar turned
up once more for the Park Purse, Superor and Juba, the other starters ago them, having no reason whatever to think they were ever in the race. Halfling his started half a dozen times in the three meetings and has always finished first.

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