

## Canadian Turf.

## TROTTING AND RUNNING AT TORONTO.

The conclusion of the trot at the Newmarket course on Wednesday of last week resulted in favor of Mr. John Fleming's mare Jenny Vincent. John A. was drawn. Tecumseh Boy acted badly, and was beaten in the heat by Avenue Boy. The summary follows:—

NEWMARKET COURSE, Toronto, Nov 18 and 22. —Under the management of Mr. Frank Martin. Purse \$600. Open to five named horses. Trotting; mile heats, best 3 in 5, in harness; catch weights, and no distance: \$45 to first, 15 to second.

J. Fleming's ch m Jenny Vincent. 2 1 1 2\*1  
Geo Clark's b g Tecumseh Boy. 1 4 4 1 3  
W Kennedy's ch g Avenue Boy. 4 8 3 4 2  
R James, Jr, b g John A. 3 3 2 3 dr  
C Wallis' gr m Alice Gray. dr

No time taken.

\*Fifth heat trotted on 22nd.

The hurdle race not filling, the sport was brought to a conclusion with a half-mile heat race. Maritime had the worst of the send-off in the first heat, which was won by Pilot, Islander second. The concluding heats were won easily by Maritime. The summary follows:—

Nov 22.—Purse \$100. Running half-mile heats, weights for age, open to Dominion-breds; \$75 to first, 25 to second.

J Lannan's b g Maritime, 4 yrs, by Jack Lane, dam by imp Sambo, 101 lbs. 3 1 1  
A Fisher's ch g Pilot, 5 yrs, by Jack the Barber, dam by Pilot, 111 lbs, including 4 lbs overweight. 1 2 2  
Owner's b g Islander, 5 yrs, by Jack Lane, dam by imp Saladin, 110 lbs, including 3 lbs overweight. 2 3 3

No time taken.

## The Trigger.

## PIGEON SHOOTING IN GUELPH.

On Thursday afternoon the 23rd ult., a pigeon match took place in a field near Mr. George Steeman's br wry. The captains of the sides were Messrs. M. Deady and John Hower. The shooting was begun at about two o'clock, and the day being a cold, raw, wintry one affected the shooting not a little. During the latter part of the match it became dark, and the birds could not be as distinctly seen as could be wished. Ten birds were allowed to each man, making in all 140 birds. Out of this number 67 were killed, and 73 missed. The side captained by Mr. Hower succeeded in beating their opponents by five birds. The following are the scores:

## MR. DEADY'S SIDE.

Mr. Deady (Captain) 1010000001 8  
J. West 11111000 11-6  
Geo. Steeman 1111101010-7  
T. Holliday 0101110010-5  
J. Thompson 0101010310-4  
Geo. Eng 0010111001-5  
J. Bunyan 0010000000-1

## MR. HEWER'S SIDE.

J. Hower (Captain) 0111100111-7  
J. Martin 1101100110-6  
J. O'Connor 0100101111-6  
R. Oliver 0001101111-6  
T. Hower 0110010111-6  
J. Kelch 01001110 0-4  
J. Rice 1000000000-1

After the conclusion of the match the losers treated their successful opponents to an oyster supper, served in the style for which Mr. Deady is famous, at his hotel.

## ANOTHER POP IN THE MAPLE LEAF TOWN.

Originating out of Thursday's match was one shot on Friday afternoon, between three gentlemen not named, on the field near Mr. Steeman's. The complement of 60 birds was allowed, ten to each man. Thirty-five of these were shot, and 25 missed. The shooting was therefore a little better than the day before, as more than half the birds were slaughtered. The day was not, however, very much better than the day before shooting. The score below exhibits each shot and the mark of it:

John Hower 1111001010-6  
R. Oliver 0030110011-8  
J. O'Connor 1001101101-6

Total 15

M. Deady 0100101010-4  
T. Hower 0111101111-8  
G. Steeman 1111101101-8

Total 20

rules. After a close contest Cousins was the winner by the following score:

Cousins—11 01 11 11 11 11 01 11 10  
11 01 1 21.  
Hascall—11 11 11 10 01 11 11 10 11 11  
01 11 1-21.

TIES ON 21.

Cousins.....11111-5 Hascall.....11100-8

## SHOOTING AT NEWCASTLE.

A match was shot at Newcastle, on the 22nd ult., between Mr. C. Coleman, of Bowmanville, and Mr. Higginson, stakes \$80, 12 birds each. A high wind made it rather unfavorable for the shooters. The tie was shot at 25 yards.

Mr. Coleman...100111100010-6 01011-8  
Mr. Higginson...010101010110-6 01100-2

After the match a small sweepstake was got up with the following result. Three prizes. Same rules as above.

J. Steen.....1011101111-8 Divide.  
C. Coleman.....1110101111-8  
F. Rutherford.....0111101101-7 11100-8  
Higginson.....0110011111-7 10100-2  
R. Warren.....1110010 110-5  
E. Groves.....1000100010-8  
R. Varcoe.....0100101000-8  
F. Henderson.....0100010100-2

SPORT.

## MICHIGAN vs. OHIO.

Quite a shoot took place at Munro, Mich., on the 20th ult., between Michigan and Ohio. Messrs. L. H. Hascall and Ed. Gillman represented the former, and Messrs. W. O. Hall and "Timothy O'Hara" the latter State. The contest was for \$200, at 25 birds to each man. Michigan won by 45 to 41. Two of Hascall's birds fell dead a foot or two outside of the bounds. Messrs. Robt. Fulton and J. M. Witmer of Niagara Falls were the judges, and Mr. Murray of the same place was selected as referee.

## MICHIGAN.

L Hascall...11111111011111111111-23  
E Gillman...01101101111111111111-22

## OHIO.

T O'Hara...01111111111111111111-23  
W O Hall...0010101101101111111101 18

## SMALL SHOT.

J. Bradley, a hunter in Bay County, Mich., was shot and instantly killed by a gun-trap, which he himself set.

Num'rous parties are still around Boboysgeon hunting. The sport is said to be excellent.

A very rare specimen of gull was shot on the Thames, near Tavvill's mills, London, last week, by Mr. A. Jones, of Adelaide street. It has been handed to Mr. Mumery to be stuffed.

The six cardinal points in a gun now are: Strength, simplicity, accuracy and length of range, safety, rapidity, and economy.

A man in an American rural settlement, who has been an inveterate smoker for twenty years, has suddenly and permanently given up the practice. He knocked the ashes of his pipe into a keg of blasting powder.

A pigeon shooting match took place at Belleville, Ont., on the 21st ult., the conditions of which were four to five birds each, 21 yards rise, 80 yards boundary. Judge J. J. Lett won, killing thirteen birds.

A few days ago, says the Timesburg Observer, while some workmen were engaged excavating the bed of the Otter Creek, near the saw mill, one of them unearthed an Elk's horn, measuring five feet in length.

The Montreal Star wants to know if something cannot be done to stop the wholesale slaughter of blue jays, woodpeckers, &c. in Ontario, squalls of "men" competing for the "honor" of slaying the greatest number of these denizens of the woods.

HIGH PRICES FOR SETTER DOGS.—Some of the prize winners at the Memphis field trials for pointers and setters, sold for very high prices. Stafford, 2nd in champion stakes, sold for \$500; his sister Bianch sold for the same money; Lilwlin, a puppy, sold for \$203, and \$800 was offered and refused for his sister Clip; all these dogs are the field trial breed, and were bred by Mr. L. H. Smith, Strathroy.

The Syracuse Journal states that a gentleman of that city has returned from the St. Clair flats on the Canadian side, where he met with unusually fine sport among the ducks. He was gone from the city but two weeks and three weeks, spending eleven days in shooting, bagging the handsome number of three hundred and thirty ducks, or an average of nearly thirty per day—most of them were fine can-a-bucks.

## Athletic.

## THE GRECO ROMANS AT MONTREAL.

MILLER VS. TREHER.

On the evening of Nov. 22nd, Professors Miller and Treher, gave an exhibition of this style of wrestling at the Theatre Royal, Montreal. It was said to be for a stake of \$1,000. Mr. B. Lansley acted as referee. Both men were in splendid condition. Time was called at 8:20, and in the first clinch Miller acted solely on the defence. Treher's plan was to clinch his antagonist's waist and endeavor to over-balance him, but the little Frenchman tried the game once too often, for at 8:30 Miller suddenly caught him off his feet and laid him with both shoulders square to the floor, amid loud applause. In the second clinch it was one-sided, Treher vainly endeavoring to throw his weighty antagonist, who took it easy and put himself in various positions easy of attack. Treher at last grew desperate, and then Miller easily threw him, and claimed a fall by his seconds, but the audience shouted "no, no," so good had been the fun. In three minutes more, Miller stopped the Frenchman both shoulders fair to the shoulder. A gold medal was then presented to Miller, from Professor Richardson's pupils.

MILLER VS. BAUER.

AN EXCITING CONTEST.

The most exciting and closely contested Greco-Roman wrestling match ever witnessed in Canada came off on Saturday night in Montreal, between Wm. Miller, champion of the world, and Thiebaut Bauer, who carries the American champion belt, for what was said to be \$1,000 and the championship of the world.

The first round lasted 49 minutes and 45 seconds, and was a series of the most exhaustive struggles. Time and again did Bauer get Miller's head in chancery, only to be whirled over by his more powerful opponent. Once both men spun round off the padding and nearly went off the stage. Bauer being the smaller man had the sympathy of the audience. However, Miller getting a cross lock on him, laid him out shoulders even to the shoulders at half-past nine.

The second clinch both men came to time in a heated condition. Bauer continually got Miller into chancery, and once threw him over the footlights, smashing one off. Fortunately Miller was not hurt. Both men were desperate, and the feelings of the audience rose to a high pitch, as a little after ten Bauer got Miller on his back, and by persistent pressure laid his shoulders to the carp. The odds at this time were in favor of Bauer. Round three was, if possible, still more closely contested than the last and both men came to the floor repeatedly, and there was much rolling and tossing. Miller in twenty-three minutes broke Bauer's hold and back and laid him shoulder to shoulder to the satisfaction of Professor Richardson, the referee, but not of Messrs. Bony, Bauer's umpire, who protested that at Bauer's temper was excited, and as the audience was divided in opinion for a while things looked equally, but at last the referee obtained his ruling.

The wrestling again commenced after fifteen minutes, and both men were now in a state of the utmost physical and mental excitement. The audience, and a most respectable one at that, lost all decorum, being much agitated, and stood up in their seats to cheer their favorite as he gained a slight advantage. At one time Miller threw Bauer on his back, but he lit on "the bridge" on head and heels, and rolled over like a cart-wheel, nearly getting Miller on his back, but the latter slipped across him and they rose in a tight hug. Then Bauer exclaimed, "Your finger nails are too long. I want fair play." The yells of his friends drowned something else that was said. Bauer then made a rush, and the gladiators were at it again, and never stopped the struggle, both breathing audibly all the while, till midnight, when the referee declared that any fall after that hour would be illegal, and announced all bets off. However, both men kept wrestling. The crowd was intensely excited, and shouted, "Go on, a ver mind Sunday." The police had to come on the platform and stop the proceedings at two minutes past twelve (Sunday) at 10 minutes' struggle. The match was then pronounced a draw. A fresh one is being arranged.

Miller shall meet any three athletes to compete against him in the following five exercises:—Wrestling, sparring, foot fencing, sword, or English back-kick, and heavy dumb-bell lifting, for \$500 a side. The winner will necessarily have to win three of the five exercises.

## Base Ball.

## THE CHAMPION BALL.

In a recent issue the London Advertiser says:—"Mr. Wm. Bryce last Saturday handed over to the managers of the Tecumseh B.B.C. the silver ball offered by him as a prize for winning the largest number of games in Canada during the season of 1876. The ball is the regulation size and weight, enclosed in a plush lined case, and has inscribed upon its surface the words: 'Presented by Wm. Bryce to the Tecumseh Base Ball Club, of London, Ont., as the club winning the largest number of games in Canada, 1876.' The present is a handsome one, and will no doubt be highly prized, by the Tecumsehs.

## CANADIAN RESPONSE TO THE CALL FOR AN INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

To the Editor of the N.Y. Herald.

I am glad to find that there is united action among the lovers of base ball throughout the continent on the subject of organizing an international association for the coming season. Happily, so far as Canadian clubs are concerned, there has been nothing to complain of in regard to "crooked playing," and I think if betting and pool selling are as rigorously excluded from our ball fields in the future as in the past, we will be able to keep up the reputation we have already gained. What concerns us most is to secure some agreement between clubs outside of the League, so that a regular supply of games can be obtained and the folly of giving exorbitant guarantees to League clubs be avoided. We will be very glad to assist in bringing about such a reform. London, with its immediate suburbs, has a population of fully 25,000 inhabitants, and being an inland city, base ball is the favorite outdoor popular sport during the summer. Our games, with first-class clubs during the past season, drew well. On two holidays, gate receipts at twenty-five cents (ladies free), exceeded, on each occasion, \$1,000, and on ordinary days the Chicago took \$250 and took \$200 as their share of the receipts, and the St. Louis Browns \$180, the latter coming with only one day intervening between their visit and the Chicago. Our grounds are in the heart of the city, and consequently very convenient.

H. GORMAN,

Sec. Tecumseh B.B. Club, London, Ont.

## NAME CLAIMED.

WAGNER.—I claim the name of Wagner for my brown colt, no white, foaled May 22, 1876, by Terror, dam Lucy, by Wagner; 2nd dam Phoebe Doid, by American Eclipse; 3rd dam, Martha Holloway.—JOHN DRYEST, Copetown, Ont.

## Amusements.

CITY.

Madame Janauschek commenced her engagement at the Grand Opera House on Monday evening in Schiller's version of Mary Stuart, in which she appeared as the unfortunate Queen of Scots. The attendance on the first night was fair, and increased through the week. Janauschek was well received, and gave a fine rendition of the character. Her accent is quite foreign at first, but in a few minutes this is not noticed, the attention of the hearer being diverted by the merits of the artist herself. Mrs. Allen made quite a good Elizabeth, and Miss Lizzie Anderson was noticeable as the Nurse. Of the male characters Messrs. Hudson, Sambrook, Fitzgerald and Rogers gave good support with the balance of the cast was equal to the occasion. Wednesday night, Dora, with Janauschek in the title role; Thursday, Jessie Brown, for the benefit of St. Andrew's Society, with Mrs. Morrison appearing in the leading character; this Friday evening Black House, on the 11th of Janauschek; and Saturday night, Macbeth. The usual matinee will be given to-morrow afternoon.

At the Royal Opera House, Miss May Howard has been winning golden opinions with her clever impersonations. Her versatility was established on her opening night when she appeared as Jane Porter in Scott's drama, and Ruth Triloch in Corley.

Mr. Cool Burgess was at Mechanics' Hall, Montreal, on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of this week.

The Holmans commenced a season of four nights at the City Hall, Kingston, on Monday evening.

Mr. Theodore Tilton is billed for Ottawa this evening. His subject is "The Problem of Life."

Gen. Tom Thumb will be at Dundas on the 5th, Mechanics' Hall, Hamilton, 6th inst.

The Misses Ida Robertson and Jessie Lumsden, and Mr. James Lumsden, Scotch vocalists, give two concerts at Mechanics' Hall, Hamilton, on 4th and 5th inst.

An Amateur Dramatic Company gave "Ireland as it was" at Hamilton last evening, under the auspices of the St. Patrick's Society.

It is reported the Holman Opera Company have secured DeBar's Opera House in Montreal, and will locate there for the winter.

The English Opera Company under the management of Mr. D. Zouche, will appear at the Academy of Music, Montreal, on the 14th, 15th and 16th inst.

Mr. McDowell's Shaughraun Company will appear at the Grand Opera House, Ottawa, on the 1st and 2nd.

## THE MAYORALTY.

## YOUR VOTE AND INTEREST

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## REFLECTION

Angus Morrison  
AS MAYOR.

The Nomination takes place on Friday, December 22nd, 1876, and the voting on Monday January 1st, 1877.

## GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

## ST. JOHN'S WARD.

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AS ALDERMAN.

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