

SPORTS

RACING BEGAN AT WINDSOR SATURDAY.

Flora Riley Made a New Record in the Mile and a Half Race.

Under auspices more favorable than ever before, the Windsor Racing Association began on Saturday afternoon its summer meeting. Never in the history of the track was the attendance larger. The crowd taxed the recently enlarged plant to its utmost capacity.

Green Seal, owned by the St. James Stable, was successful in the Frontier Handicap, the stake offering of a good card. The handicap carried a net value of \$1,635 to the winner and attracted seven of the best racers in training hereabouts.

YESTERDAY'S RACING. Windsor, Aug. 3.—W. H. Fizer's Flora Riley made a new mile and a half record of 2:33.4 to-day, and her owner had to pay \$700 to retain her.

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

Playing for Toronto against Rosedale on the Varsity campus on Saturday Hope Gibson contributed 82 to a total score of 174.

T. Murphy, of the A. M. C., looks like a corner in the sprinting world. He turned out with the Senior Harriers of the Y. M. C. A. on Friday and ran a fast 100 yards in the relay race, as did also his team mate, Kehoe.

The opening day of the Windsor race meeting must have given Messrs. Hendrie and Farmer great satisfaction, for an enormous crowd attended it and was most orderly.

Mr. Johnson continues to have trouble with his automobile. Possibly he thinks we would not know he had one if he didn't have himself pinched in every town he visits.

POLICE GAMES.

Preparations have been completed for the police athletic games at Britannia Park to-morrow afternoon, and the best programme ever provided by the police has been arranged.

FLYING.

The Hamilton Homing Pigeon Club held its third young bird race from London on Saturday. Fifty-four were started on their journey at noon, and the winner, Ratcliffe's bird, covered the distance in 2 hours 17 minutes.

HAMILTON CREW BREAKS ANOTHER RACE RECORD.

Local Boys Win Working Boat Race at Henley in 9.41, Breaking Record by Several Seconds.

Will Enter in Intermediate Fours at National Regatta at Detroit This Week—Second Day of the Regatta Was Ahead of All Others in Attendance.

The Canadian Champions

- Junior Singles. J. Cosgrave, Argonauts. Junior Doubles. Jackes and Butler, Argos. Junior Fours. Ottawa Rowing Club. Intermediate Singles. J. Cosgrave, Argonauts. Junior Eight. Argonaut Rowing Club. Senior Doubles. Fuessel and Shepherd, New York. Senior Fours. Ottawa Rowing Club. Junior Fours, 140 pounds. Don Rowing Club. Working Boat Fours. Hamilton Rowing Club. Intermediate Fours. Ottawa Rowing Club. Senior Eight. Detroit Rowing Club. Senior Singles. J. F. Cosgrave, Argonauts.



HAMILTON ROWING CLUB'S JUNIOR FOUR. Reading from left to right: Jack Mahoney, stroke; G. H. Sloan, 3; Edward Skelly, 2; C. O. Pilgrim, bow.

OPINION OF AN EXPERT.

The following conversation which took place Saturday evening between Vivian Nickalls, the famous coach of the Detroit Rowing Club, and one time champion amateur sculler, and the Sporting Editor of the Times, shows an expert's opinion of the Hamilton crew.

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SCRAP TALK

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HOW TEAMS IN THE BIG LEAGUES STAND

Table showing standings for Eastern, American, and National leagues, including teams like Rochester, Buffalo, Toronto, and Pittsburgh.

E. W. BURROW'S RINK ARE CITY CHAMPS.

Defeated W. H. Davis' Thistle Rink by 7 Shots in the Final on Saturday—Tournament Was Continued Yesterday—Finals in Singles and Doubles Yet to be Played.

The Times trophy and city bowling championship again goes to a Royal Hamilton Yacht Club rink. The semi-finals and finals were played off Saturday afternoon between E. W. Burrow's R. H. Y. C. team and W. H. Davis' Thistle rink.

On Monday the tournament was continued and the semi-finals, final and preliminary, first second and third rounds were played off.

Mr. A. W. Walker, of Philadelphia, who is always a popular judge at the Royal Canadian Henley, also spoke very highly of the Hamilton crew.

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