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### AMERICAN TURF. LEXINGTON, KY., RACES.

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### THE CHAMPION STALLION RACE.

MYSTIC PARK, BOSTON, Sept. 14.—The weather to-day was perfect and again Mystic Park was the scene of a renewal of the crowds and excitement, which attended the great stallion contest of last year. The purse contested for was \$10,000, open to all stallions in the United States and Canada; it had received fourteen entries, of these but six showed at the post. A singular feature of the race, was that every starter was owned in New England. The Black Whirlwind of the East, Thomas Jefferson, was a decided favorite. The attendance was very great, including a number of prominent horsemen from all over the country. The track was very heavy, but, all in all, it was another gala day, in a trotting way, for the "Hub." As the different stallions appeared on the track, and speeded up and down they were particularly welcomed by the crowd present. Much time was wasted in scoring for the first heat, but at last they received the word to a good send off, Jefferson had the pole, with Commonwealth second, closely followed by Wallace, Parkis' Abdallah, Allen, and Defiance in the order named. Defiance at once made play, and with Parkis' Abdallah hugging him close, pushed by the favorite and took the lead; only for a moment, however, as, soon after passing the quarter, Jefferson and Commonwealth struck a lively gait, and at the half had regained the lead, and were trotting neck and neck. Commonwealth carried Jefferson to a bad break, and come right away, won the heat easily in 2:27, the favorite second, Defiance third. But little time was wasted in scoring for the second heat; the word was given to an excellent start, Defiance showing the way to the quarter, when once more the favorite and Commonwealth brushed by him, and fought sharply for full three-quarters of a mile; this time Commonwealth went to pieces, the favorite holding his feet, came away and landed the heat in 2:26, Defiance second. The third heat was a lively one; Defiance got off in the lead, which he, as usual, held for some distance. The two inseparables had another hot tussle, this time lasting well into the homestretch, but the favorite outlasted Commonwealth, and, when near the distance, let out an extra link, and went under the wire with two lengths the best of it—time, 2:25½. The fourth heat was a repetition of the two preceding, Defiance marking the course for a time, only to give way to the two sires who seemed to alone wish to fight the battle. They held well together until close home, when Jefferson was given his head, and he came right away from Commonwealth, winning by over six lengths, the heat and race—time, 2:26. A pacing race was also thrown in, to fill up the time between heats of the great race.

SUMMARIES.

MYSTIC PARK, Sept. 14.—Second annual stallion race for the championship of America; purse \$10,000; \$4,000 to first, 2,500 to second, 2,000 to third, 1,500 to fourth; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

W B Smith's blk h Thomas Jefferson, by Toronto Chief out of Gipsy Queen, by Wagner..... 2 1 1 1  
J B Farnum's br h Commonwealth, by Phil Sheridan, dam by Young St. Lawrence..... 1 3 2 2  
F J & A F Hoyt's blk h Defiance, by Gen. Lyon..... 3 3 3 1  
J J Parkis' b h Parkis' Abdallah, by Taggart's Abdallah..... 4 5 4 4  
J Golden's b h Ned Wallace, by Taggart's Abdallah..... 5 4 5 5  
T S Carpenter's b h W H Allen, by Volunteer out of Pogy Slender.... 6 6 dr  
Time, 2:27, 2:26, 2:25½, 2:26.

Same Day.—Purse \$500, pacing race under saddle; mile heats.

G H Smith's br g Sleepy George..... 2 1 1 1  
J H Gaswell's b m Sallie..... 1 3 2 2

### TROTTING AT CLEVELAND, O.

Sept. 14.—Purse \$300, for horses that have never beaten 3:30; \$100 to first, 75 to second, 45 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

J E Kitzmiller's g g Judge Waite..... 1 1 1  
James McKeon's b m Alieo..... 2 2 2  
Owner's b m Alberta..... 3 3 3  
G E Brownell's b s George..... 4 dis  
Time, 2:36½, 2:35½, 2:37.

Same day—Purse \$600, for horses that have never beaten 2:30; \$300 to first, 150 to second, 45 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

A M Wilson's br m Frank..... 1 1 5 2 1  
R Johnson's b m Lady Mack..... 2 4 2 1 2  
James McKeon's b m Ella Wilson..... 5 2 1 3 4  
J H Williams' b g Tom Britton..... 4 5 3 5 3  
J G Myers ch g Jeremiah..... 3 3 4 4 dr  
Time, 2:28½, 2:31, 2:31½, 2:22, 2:27½.

Same day—Purse \$300, running, \$180 to first, 75 to second, 45 to third; mile heats.

Charles Boyle's b m Inspiration, 4 yrs, by Warminster out of Sophie, 105 lbs..... 1 1  
James Murley's b g War Jig, 6 yrs, by War Dance out of Dixie, by imp. Sovereign, 115 lbs..... 4 2  
Bush & Edick's b m Nellie Bush, aged, by Revolver out of Skipper, by Daniel the Prophet, 115 lbs..... 2 0  
Owner's b m Daisy Miller, 3 yrs, by Revolver out of Skipper, by Daniel the Prophet, 92 lbs..... 5 0  
M Hiebblethwaite's ch s Douglas, 3 yrs, by mp. Hurrah out of Velveteen, by Commodore, 95 lbs..... 3 5  
W A Dunn's ch m Bessie Douglas, 4 yrs, by Breckenridge out of Claret, by imp. Bonnie Scotland, 105 lbs..... 6 6  
Wm. Jones's g Ned Brace, 6 yrs, by Jack Malone, dam by Sea Breeze, 115 lbs..... dis  
Time, 1:45½, 1:44.

### TROTTING AT KINGSTON, N. Y.

Sept. 14.—Purse \$800, for horses that have never beaten 3 minutes; 450 to first, 250 to second, 100 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

Owner's Jennie F..... 5 1 6 1 1  
Owner's Martha Washington .. 2 2 1 5 3  
Owner's Roosa Belle..... 1 3 4 6 6  
Owner's Irish Maid..... 3 4 2 2 2  
Owner's Alley..... 4 6 3 3 5  
Owner's Gist Out..... 7 5 6 4 4  
Owner's Leontine..... 6 7 7 7 7  
Owner's Major Fulton..... 8 8 drawn  
Time, 2:39, 2:35, 2:38, 2:38, 2:39.

Same Day.—Purse \$1,000, for horses that have never beaten 2:34; \$550 to first, 300 to second, 150 to third, mile heats, 3 in 5, to harness.

Owner's Frank Munson..... 1 1 1  
Owner's Carrie..... 2 2 2  
Owner's Lady Morrison..... 3 3 5  
Owner's Lady Woods..... 5 6 3  
Owner's Clifton Boy..... 4 5 4  
Owner's Wm H Beede..... 6 4 6  
Time, 2:35, 2:35, 2:34.

Sept 15.—Purse \$800, for horses that have never beaten 2:40; 450 to first, 250 to second, 100 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, to harness.

J S Baker, b m Geneva..... 1 1 1  
Cunningham & Bailey, s g Silas Rich.. 2 2 2  
D B Goff, b m Carrie..... 4 3 3  
L Zeh, blk m Della..... 3 5 7  
W S Brooks, b g Charley Young..... 5 4 4  
W E Weeks, b s Wm H Beede..... 7 5 8  
F Monday, cr m Patchen Maid..... 8 8 5  
Geo N Bell, br m Nellie Warwick..... 6 7 6  
Time, 2:41, 2:38, 2:39.

Same Day.—Purse \$1,000, for horses that have never beaten 2:28; 650 to first, 300 to second, 150 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, to harness.

### TROTTING AT SYRACUSE, N. Y.

Sept. 7.—Purse \$500, for 3:00 class, \$250, 125, 75, 50; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

S Dunn's s m Favorite..... 1 1 1  
J Terry's Jupiter Abdallah..... 3 4 2  
A J Feek's gr m Lysander Maid..... 6 2 3  
C Winslow's br g Homer Boy..... 5 5 1  
L F Hawley's br g General Grant..... 2 3 5  
W Langford's ru g William H..... 4 5 dis  
C F Folley's b g Tommy Ryan..... 7 7 dis  
L Scrand's b m Sleepy Kate..... dis  
C H Fox's g St. Charles..... dis  
Time, 2:39, 2:42½, 2:39.

Same day—Purse \$1,000, for 2:31 class; \$500, 250, 120, 100; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

A Goldsmith's by g Beatman..... 1 1 1  
J D Collett's ch g Frank Mannon..... 3 2 3  
A Johnston's b m Lady Johnston..... 2 4 6  
C W Mitchell's b g George H Mitchell. 4 3 3  
A Jones' b g Ashland Pat..... 5 5 4  
R Deming's ch m Carrie..... 6 6 5  
W G Gilson's s Tarlton..... dis  
Time, 2:31½, 2:34½, 2:37.

Sept. 8.—No. 4.—Purse \$1,000, for horses that have never trotted better than 2:29; \$500 to first, 250 to second, 150 to third, 100 to fourth.

D A Killner's b g Sam West..... 2 2 \*0 1 1 1  
E C White's gr g Jack Draper.. 1 1 \*0 2 2 3  
A Goldsmith's b m Effie Dean.. 5 3 \*0 3 3 5  
Robert Johnson's b m Lady Mac. 4 5 \*0 4 2  
C W Mitchell's b g Geo H Mitchell 3 4 \*0 5 5 4  
Time, 2:32, 2:29, 0:00, 2:31½, 2:31½, 2:30.  
\*No. beat.

### GOOD TROTS AT COLUMBUS, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, Sept. 8.—Purse \$150; double teams; \$100 to first, 50 to second; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

Mr Neil London Belle and mate.. 1 4 2 2 1 1  
H J Rutter Pat and Little Roan... 2 2 1 1 2 2  
Musser & Brothers Marksman and Tornado..... 0 1 4 dis  
P Purcell Cliff K and mate..... 0 3 3 dis  
T Cone J Cook and mate..... 0 5 dis  
N M Runyon Ohio Girl and mate... 0 6 dis  
G E Prownell Free-and-Easy and mate..... 3 dis  
J B Green Lady Moss and Moss Wood..... dis  
Time—2:50, 2:52, 2:46, 2:48, 2:45, 2:50.

Sept 9.—Purse \$150, for stallions; \$100, or gold medal to first, 50 to second; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

L L Lawrence s g St Lawrence..... 1 3 1 2 1  
J W Hall b s Mohawk Jr..... 3 5 2 1 2  
W Sanderson b s Joe Hooper..... 5 1 4 6 4  
J E Kitzmiller ch s Haylas..... 2 2 3 0  
Stevens & Steers ch s Cadmus..... 6 4 5 4 3  
Musser & Brothers br s Markham... 7 6 dis  
Dr Shafer ch s Dick Slicker..... 8 0 dis  
Fisher & Brother b s Tattler..... 4 dis  
Time—2:31, 2:31, 2:31½, 2:32½, 2:32, 2:33.

Sept 10.—Purse \$350, free for all; \$200 to first, 100 to second, 50 to third; mile heats, 3 in 6, in harness.

O Porter's b m Kate Campbell..... 2 1 3 1 1  
E M Strode ch g Rod Oak..... 1 4 2 2 2  
J Hine g g Silver Sides..... 5 2 1 4 4  
Hoover & Scott b g Lew Scott..... 3 3 4 3 5  
S G Larrimore s g Dr Rush..... 4 5 6 3 3  
W S Kinsey b g Deception..... 6 6 5 dr  
Time—2:39½, 2:37½, 0:00, 2:36½, 2:36.

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GOOD TROT AT STURBRIDGE, MASS.

STURBRIDGE, Sept 10 and 11.—Purse \$90, for horses that have never beaten 3:00; \$50 to first, 25 to second, 15 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

### TROTTING AND PACING AT BUFFALO, N. Y.

BUFFALO PARK, Sept 11.—Match for \$200; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

E J Burton da g Butcher Boy..... 1 1 3 1  
J Crandall b g Champagne Charley. 2 2 1 2  
Time—3:01½, 2:57, 3:05, 2:56.

Same day—Match \$500, mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

J Jamison gr g Billy Hopper..... 2 1 1 1  
R Corrigan g g Sorrel Frank..... 1 2 2 2  
Time—2:26½, 2:27, 2:29½, 2:28.

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GREAT FOUR-YEAR OLD TROT IN KENTUCKY.

ABDALLAH PARK, NEAR CANTON, Vt., Sept 1.—Purse \$250, for four year-olds, mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

Macey Bros' ch in Maud Macey, by J Hooker, dam by Cambridge..... 3 2 1 1 1  
M C McCowell b m Alethea, by Almont, out of Jean Wood, by Melborne, Jr..... 2 1 2 2 3  
J M Patterson ch m Kentucky Central, by Balsora, dam by Briguoli. 1 3 3 3 2  
John E Gordon blk in Lady Lumber, dam by Iron Duke..... 4 4 4 4 4  
J H Wilhoite b g Glendale..... dis  
Time—2:31, 2:31, 2:31, 2:32½, 2:33.

### TROTTING AT SARATOGA.

SARATOGA COUNTY FAIR, Glen Mitchell Driving Park, Saratoga, N. Y., Sept 8.—Saratoga County Agricultural Society's free-for-all purse of \$90, \$60 to first, 30 to second; best 3 in 5, in harness; half-mile track.

D McDonald b - G H Mitchell... .. 2 2 1 1 1  
J H Herbeck br h Windermere..... 1 1 2 2 2  
Time—2:34½, 2:36, 2:40, 2:41.  
\*Mitchell came home first, but foul driving gave the heat to Windmere.

### TROTTING AT SPRING VALLEY, N. Y.

SPRING VALLEY, Sept 9.—Purse \$100, for horses that have never beaten 2:45, \$60 to first, 25 to second and 15 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

R F Galloway b m Kate Palmer.... 2 1 2 0 2  
J Bogert b m Colia..... 1 2 1 0 1  
C Carroll br g Frenchy..... dr  
Time—2:49½, 2:52½, 2:47½, 2:49, 2:56½.  
\*Dead heat.

Same Day.—Purse \$60, for horses that have not beaten 2:50, \$30 to first, 20 to second and 10 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

J P Taylor blk g Col Campbell..... 3 1 1 2 2 1  
J H Merritt's blk g Dandy Jun .. 4 3 3 1 2  
P Haring s g Marshall..... 1 2 2 3 3 3  
Owner b g Harry..... 2 4 dis  
Time—2:51, 2:42, 2:50½, 0:00, 2:51, 2:50  
\*In fourth heat Col Campbell and Marshall set back for running, no record according to rule.

### PEDESTRIANISM.

The mile heats foot race, best 3 in 5, between Jacob Houben and Kerrarowe, advertised to come off on the Cricket Ground on Wednesday, duly took place. The prize was a stake of \$50 a side and a silver cup, presented by H B Blake. The conditions of the cup are that it shall be won twice before becoming the holder. It was gained last year by Kerrarowe. The first heat on the first beat on the present occasion fell to Reuben in 5 min 17 sec., the second and third to Kerrarowe in 4 min 42 sec and 4 min. 48 sec. the fourth in 4 min 59 sec and the last

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G Longstaff's g c Derby, 3 yrs, by Eugene, dam Kate Sovereign, 95 lbs. 3  
Time, 2:00½.

Same day—Purse \$250, a handicap for all ages; \$200 to first, 50 to second; mile heats.  
F Stearn's gr g Frank, 5 yrs, by Engineer, dam Gov. Wickliffe, 90 lbs. 1 1  
A H Torrance's b h Moonstone, aged, by Asteroid, dam Alabama, 114 lbs. 4 2  
M Byrne's ch h Camden, aged, by Bulletin, dam by Leviathan, 103 lbs. 2 3  
J Coffee's b c —, 3 yrs, by Panic, dam Long Nine, 80 lbs. 3 4  
Time, 1:46½, 1:47½.

Purse \$200, for all ages; \$150 to first, 50 to second; one mile and a quarter.  
L A Hitchcock's ch c Century, 4 yrs, by Censor, dam Intigric, 108 lbs. 1  
J W Weldon's ch c Warfare, 3 yrs, by War Dance, dam Wagonette, 95 lbs. 2  
M Byrne's ch m, aged, by Censor, dam unknown, 115 lbs. 3  
Time, 2:18½.

Mystic Park, Boston, Sept. 14.—The weather to-day was perfect and again Mystic Park was the scene of a renewal of the crowds and excitement, which attended the great steeplechase contest of last year. The purse contested for was \$10,000, open to all stallions in the United States and Canada; it had received fourteen entries, of these but six showed at the post. A singular feature of the race, was that every starter was owned in New England. The Black Whirlwind of the East, Thomas Jefferson, was a decided favorite. The attendance was very great, including a number of prominent horsemen from all over the country. The track was very heavy, but, all in all, it was another gala day, in a trotting way, for the "Hub." As the different stallions appeared on the track, and speeded up and down they were particularly welcomed by the crowd present. Much time was wasted in scoring for the first heat, but at last they received the word to a good send-off. Jefferson had the pole, with Commonwealth second, closely followed by Wallace, Parkis' Abdallah, Allen, and Defiance in the order named. Defiance at once made play, and, with Parkis' Abdallah hugging him close, pushed by the favorite and took the lead; only for a moment, however, as, soon after passing the quarter, Jefferson and Commonwealth struck a lively gait, and at the half had regained the lead, and were trotting neck and neck. Commonwealth carried Jefferson to a bad break, and came right away, won the heat easily in 2:27, the favorite second, Defiance third. But little time was wasted in scoring for the second heat; the word was given to an excellent start, Defiance showing the way to the quarter, when once more the favorite and Commonwealth brushed by him, and fought sharply for full three-quarters of a mile; this time Commonwealth went to pieces, the favorite holding his feet, came away and lauded the heat in 2:25, Defiance second. The third heat was a lively one; Defiance got off in the lead, which he, as usual, held for some distance. The two inseparables had another hot tussle, this time lasting well into the homestretch, but the favorite outlasted Commonwealth, and, when near the distance, let out an extra link, and went under the wire with two lengths the best of it—time, 2:25½. The fourth heat was a repetition of the two preceding, Defiance marking the course for a time, only to give way to the two sires who seemed to alone wish to fight the battle. They held well together until close home, when Jefferson was given his head, and he came right away from Commonwealth, winning by over six lengths, the heat and race—time, 2:26. A pacing race was also thrown in, to fill up the time between heats of the great race.

SUMMARIES.  
MYSTIC PARK, SEPT. 14.—Second annual stallion race for the championship of America; purse \$10,000; \$4,000 to first, 2,500 to second, 2,000 to third, 1,500 to fourth; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
W B Smith's blk h Thomas Jefferson, by Toronto Chief out of Gipsy Queen, by Wagner. 2 1 1 1  
J B Farnum's br h Commonwealth, by Phil Sheridan, dam by Young St. Lawrence. 1 3 2 2  
F J & A F Hoyt's blk h Defiance, by Gen. Lyon. 3 2 3 3  
J J Parkis' b h Parkis' Abdallah, by Taggart's Abdallah. 4 5 4 4  
J Golden's b h Ned Wallace, by Taggart's Abdallah. 5 4 5 5  
T S Carpenter's b h W H Allen, by Volunteer out of Pogy Slender. 6 6 dr  
Time, 2:27, 2:26, 2:25½, 2:26.

Same Day.—Purse \$500, pacing race under saddle; mile heats.  
G H Smith's br g Sleepy George. 2 1 1 1  
J H Gaswell's b m Sallie. 1 3 2 2  
Wm H Crawford's rn g Copperbottom. 3 4 3 3  
D W Webber's gr g Silas. 4 2 3 4  
Time, 2:21, 2:26, 2:27, 2:27.

GOOD TROT AT SYCAMORE, ILL.

Sept. 10.—Purse \$1,000, free for all; \$500 to first, 250 to second, 150 to third, 100 to fourth; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
W R Armstrong's c m Mollie Morris 4 1 3 1 1  
J W Jacob's ch g Observer. 1 2 1 2 2  
C W Phillip's b m Amy B. 2 4 2 3 3  
John H Pridgeon's b g Fred Hooper 3 3 4 4 4  
Time, 0:00, 2:30, 0:00, 2:31, 2:33.

GOOD TROT AT NORTHAMPTON, MASS.

Sept. 11.—Purse \$600, for horses that have never beaten 2:35; \$300 to first, 200 to second, 100 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
J Dougrey, Jr.'s gr g Ben Smith. 3 3 2 1 1  
E J Cusick's May Bee. 2 1 1 2 2  
T C Barden's Flora. 1 2 3 3 3  
Time, 2:37, 2:35, 2:39, 2:37, 2:36, 2:35.

Sept. 14.—Purse \$300, for horses that have never beaten 3:30; \$100 to first, 75 to second, 45 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
J E Kitzmiller's g g Judge Waite. 1 1 1 1  
James McKeon's b m Aliso. 2 3 3 3  
Owner's b m Alberta. 3 3 3 3  
G E Brownell's b s George. 4 dis  
Time 2:36½, 2:35½, 2:37.

Same day—Purse \$600, for horses that have never beaten 2:30; \$360 to first, 150 to second, 45 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
A M Wilson's br m Frank. 1 1 5 2 1  
R Johnson's b m Lady Mack. 2 4 2 1 2  
James McKeon's b m Ella Wilson. 5 2 1 3 1  
J H Williams' b g Tom Britten. 4 5 3 5 3  
J G Myers' ch g Jeremiah. 5 3 4 4 dr  
Time, 2:28½, 2:31, 2:31½, 2:22, 2:27½.

Same day—Purse \$300; running; \$180 to first, 75 to second, 45 to third; mile heats.  
Charles Boyle's b m Inspiration, 4 yrs, by Warminster out of Sophie, 105 lbs. 1 1  
James Murley's b g War Jig, 6 yrs, by War Dance out of Dixie, by imp. Sovereign, 115 lbs. 4 2  
Bush & Edick's b m Nellie Bush, aged, by Revolver out of Skipper, by Daniel the Prophet, 115 lbs. 2 0  
Owner's b m Daisy Miller, 3 yrs, by Revolver out of Skipper, by Daniel the Prophet, 92 lbs. 5 0  
M Hiebbelthwaite's ch s Douglas, 3 yrs, by imp. Hurrah out of Velveteen, by Commodore, 95 lbs. 3 5  
W A Dunn's ch m Bessie Douglas, 4 yrs, by Breckenridge out of Claret, by imp. Bonnie Scotland, 105 lbs. 6 6  
Wm. Jones's g Ned Brace, 6 yrs, by Jack Malone, dam by Sea Breeze, 115 lbs. dis  
Time, 1:45½, 1:44.

TROTTING AT KINGSTON, N. Y.

Sept. 14.—Purse \$900, for horses that have never beaten 3 minutes; 450 to first, 250 to second, 100 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
Owner's Jennie F. 5 1 6 1 1  
Owner's Martha Washington. 2 2 1 5 3  
Owner's Roosa Belle. 1 3 4 6 6  
Owner's Irish Maid. 3 4 2 2 2  
Owner's Alley. 4 6 3 3 5  
Owner's Gist Out. 7 5 5 4 4  
Owner's Leontine. 6 7 7 7 7  
Owner's Major Falton. 8 8 drawn  
Time, 2:39, 2:35, 2:38, 2:38, 2:39.

Same Day.—Purse \$1,000, for horses that have never beaten 2:34; \$550 to first, 300 to second, 150 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, to harness.  
Owner's Frank Munson. 1 1 1 1  
Owner's Carrie. 2 2 2 2  
Owner's Lady Morrison. 3 3 5 5  
Owner's Lily Woods. 5 6 3 3  
Owner's Clifton Boy. 4 5 4 4  
Owner's Wm H Beede. 6 4 6 6  
Time, 2:35, 2:35, 2:34.

Sept 15.—Purse \$600, for horses that have never 2:40; 450 to first, 250 to second, 100 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, to harness.  
J S Baker, b m Geneva. 1 1 1 1  
Cunningham & Bailey, s g Silas Rich. 2 2 2 2  
D B Goff, b m Carrie. 4 3 3 3  
L Zeh, blk m Della. 3 5 7 7  
W S Brooks, b g Charley Young. 5 4 4 4  
W E Weeks, b m Wm H Bebee. 7 5 8 8  
F Monday, cr m Patchen Maid. 8 8 5 5  
Geo N Bell, br m Nellie Warwick. 6 7 6 6  
Time, 2:41, 2:38, 2:39.

Same Day.—Purse \$1,000, for horses that have never beaten 2:38; 550 to first, 300 to second, 150 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, to harness.  
E C White, g g Jack Draper. 1 1 1 1  
Thorp & Colwell, blk g Clifton Boy. 2 2 2 2  
J P Gilbert, Little Dorrict. 3 6 2 2  
E K Bradbury, b g Berkshire Boy. 6 2 4 4  
Alden Goldsmith, b m Effie Deans. 4 3 5 5  
R Denning, ch m Carrie. 5 5 6 6  
Time, 2:34, 2:31, 2:31½.

TROTTING AT WHITEHALL, N. Y.

WHITEHALL, Sept. 11.—Purse \$—, for horses that have never beaten 3:00; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
Owner's Lucy. 1 1 5 4 4 1  
Owner's Lambert Knox. 3 2 1 1 2  
Owner's Fred Lee. 5 4 3 1 2 3  
Owner's Nimble Dick. 2 3 2 5 5 dis  
Owner's Mike Taylor. 4 5 4 3 3 dr  
Time, 2:50, 2:50, 2:51, 2:54, 2:50.

Same day—Purse \$—, for horses that have never beaten 2:35; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
Owner's Flora Leo. 2 1 3 1 1  
Owner's Nelly Webster. 1 2 1 2 2  
Owner's Lady May. 2 3 3 3 3  
Time, 2:42, 2:37, 2:42, 2:45, 2:46.

Sept 7.—Purse \$500, for horses that have never beaten 3:00; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
S Dunn's m Favorite. 1 1 1 1  
J Perry's Jupiter Abdallah. 3 4 2 2  
A J Feek's gr m Lysander Maid. 6 2 3 3  
C Winslow's br g Souder Day. 5 5 1 1  
L F Hawley's b g General Grant. 4 3 5 5  
W Langford's rn g William H. 3 5 dis  
C F Folley's b g Tommy Ryan. 7 7 dis  
L Strond's b m Sleepy Kate. dis  
C H Fox's g St. Charles. dis  
Time, 2:39, 2:42½, 2:39.

Same day—Purse \$1,000, for 2:31 class; \$600, 250, 120, 100; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
A Goldsmith's b g Beatman. 1 1 1 1  
J D Gillett's ch g Frank Munson. 3 2 3 3  
A Johnston's b m Lady Johnston. 3 4 6 6  
C W Mitchell's b g George H Mitchell. 4 3 3 3  
A Jones' b g Ashland Pot. 5 5 4 4  
R Deming's ch m Carrie. 6 6 5 5  
W G Gilson's Tarlton. dis  
Time, 2:31½, 2:34½, 2:37.

Sept. 8.—No. 4.—Purse \$1,000, for horses that have never trotted better than 2:20; \$500 to first, 250 to second, 150 to third, 100 to fourth.  
D A Kiltner's b g Sam West. 2 2 0 1 1 1  
E C White's gr g Jack Draper. 1 1 0 2 2 3  
A Goldsmith's b m Effie Deans. 5 3 0 3 3 5  
Robert Johnson's b m Lady Mac. 4 5 0 4 4 2  
C W Mitchell's b g Geo H Mitchell. 3 4 0 5 5 4  
Time, 2:32, 2:29, 0:00, 2:31½, 2:31½, 2:30.  
\*No beat.

GOOD TROTS AT COLUMBUS, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, Sept. 8.—Purse \$150; double teams; \$100 to first, 50 to second, mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
Mr Neil London Belle and mate. 1 4 2 2 1 1  
H J Ritter Pat and Little Roan. 2 2 1 1 2 3  
Musser & Brothers Markman and Tornado. 0 1 4 dis  
P Parcell Cliff K and mate. 0 3 3 dis  
T Coxe J Cook and mate. 0 5 dis  
N M Ranyon Ohio Girl and mate. 0 6 dis  
G E Prownell Free-and-Easy and mate. 3 dis  
J B Green Lady Moss and Moss Wood. dis  
Time—2:50, 2:52, 2:46, 2:48, 2:45, 2:50.

Sept 9.—Purse \$150, for stallions; \$100, or gold medal to first, 50 to second; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
L L Lawrence s g St Lawrence. 1 3 1 2 1  
J W Hall b s Mohawk Jr. 3 5 2 1 2  
W Sanderson b s Joe Hooper. 5 1 4 5 4  
J E Kitzmiller ch s Haylas. 2 2 3 3 0  
Stowens & Steers ch s Cadmus. 6 4 5 4 3  
Musser & Brothers br s Markham. 7 6 dis  
Dr Shafer ch s Dick Slier. 8 0 dis  
Fisher & Brother b s Tatler. 4 dis  
Time—2:31, 2:31, 2:31½, 2:33½, 2:33½, 2:33.

Sept 10.—Purse \$350, free for all; \$200 to first, 100 to second, 50 to third; mile heats, 3 in 6, in harness.  
O Porter's b m Kate Campbell. 2 1 3 1 1  
E M Strode ch g Red Oak. 1 4 2 2 2  
J Hine g g Silver Sides. 5 2 1 4 4  
Hoover & Scott b g Lew Scott. 3 3 4 3 5  
S G Larrimore s g Dr Rusb. 4 5 6 5 3  
W S Kinsey b g Deception. 6 6 5 dr  
Time—2:39½, 2:37½, 0:00, 2:36½, 2:36.

GOOD TROT AT STURBRIDGE, MASS.

STURBRIDGE, Sept 10 and 11.—Purse \$90, for horses that have never beaten 3:00; \$50 to first, 25 to second, 15 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
E W Turnbull b g Lantern. 1 4 4 3 3 2 1 1  
Daily Bros. b g Bay Tom. 3 2 2 2 1 1 2 1  
T E Westgate b g Jim. 2 3 1 1 2 3 3 3  
M Lachapelle b g Unknown. 5 1 3 4 4 5 4  
H Bebee blk m Nellie. 4 5 5 5 5 4 5  
Time—2:55, 2:55, 2:57, 2:54, 2:52, 2:54, 2:55, 3:00.

GOOD TROT AT BURLINGTON, VT.

Sept 9.—Purse \$225, free for all; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
C W Bailey b m Kitty Cook. 3 2 1 1 2 1  
W W Cameron blk g Ned Forrest. 2 1 2 2 1 2  
E T Smith g g Grey Bill. 1 3 3 3 3 3  
Time—2:38½, 2:38½, 2:33, 2:39½, 2:39, 2:42.

TROTTING AT LAFAYETTE, IND.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Sept 1.—Purse \$800, free for all; \$550, 250, third to save entrance money, mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
F Slattery blk m Lady Byron. 1 1 1 1  
D P Bissel b m Moss Rose. 2 3 2 2  
J B Loder b g Billy Lambertson. 3 2 3 3  
Time—2:34½, 2:33, 2:33.

Sept 10.—Purse \$200, for horses that have never beaten 3:00; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
E J Burton's g g Butcher Boy. 1 1 2 1  
J Crandall b g Champagne Chutley. 2 2 1 2  
Time—3:01½, 2:57, 3:03, 2:50.  
Same day.—Match \$500, mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
J Jamison gr g Billy Hopper. 2 1 1 1  
R Corrigan g g Sorrel Frank. 1 2 2 2  
Time—2:26½, 2:27, 2:29½, 2:28.

GREAT FOUR-YEAR-OLD TROT IN KENTUCKY.

ABDALLAH PARK, NEAL CANTHIANA, KY., Sept 1.—Purse \$250, for four-year-olds, mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
Macey Bros' ch m Maud Macey, by J Hooker, dam by Cuntler. 3 2 1 1 1  
M C McCowell b m Althea, by Almont, out of Jean Wood, by Melbourne, Jr. 2 1 2 2 3  
J M Patterson ch m Kentucky Central, by Balsora, dam by Iriguchi. 1 3 3 3 2  
John E Gordon blk m Lady Louber, dam by Iron Duke. 4 4 4 4 4  
J H Wilhoite b g Glendale. dis  
Time—2:31, 2:31, 2:31, 2:32½, 2:33.

TROTTING AT SARATOGA.

SARATOGA COUNTY FAIR, Glen Mitchell Driving Park, Saratoga, N. Y., Sept 3.—Saratoga County Agricultural Society's free-for-all purse of \$90; \$60 to first, 30 to second, best 3 in 5, in harness; half-mile track.  
D McDonald b g G H Mitchell. 2 2 1 1 1  
J H Harbeck br h Wunderero. 1 1 2 2 2  
Time—2:34½, 2:36, 2:36, 2:40, 2:41.  
\*Mitchell came home first, but foul driving gave the heat to Windmire.

TROTTING AT SPRING VALLEY, N. Y.

SPRING VALLEY, Sept 9.—Purse \$100, for horses that have never beaten 2:45; \$60 to first, 25 to second and 15 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
R F Galloway b m Kato Palmer. 2 1 2 0 2  
J Bogert b m Celina. 1 2 1 0 1  
C Carroll br g Frenchy. dr  
Time—2:49½, 2:52½, 2:47½, 2:49, 2:56½.  
\*Dead heat.

Same Day.—Purse \$60, for horses that have not beaten 2:50; \$30 to first, 20 to second and 10 to third; mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.  
J P Taylor blk g Col Campbell. 3 1 1 2 3 1  
J H Merritt's blk g Dandy Jun. 4 3 3 1 1 2  
P Haring g g Marshall. 1 2 3 3 3 3  
Owner b g Harry. 2 4 dis  
Time—2:51, 2:42, 2:50½, 0:00, 2:51, 2:50  
\*In fourth heat Col Campbell and Marshall sat back for running; no record according to rule.

PEDESTRIANISM.

The mile heats foot race, best 3 in 5, between Jacob Reuben and Kerrarowe, advertised to come off on the Cricket Ground on Wednesday, duly took place. The prize was a stake of \$50 a side and a silver cup, presented by H B Blake. The conditions of the cup are that it shall be won twice before becoming the holder. It was gained last year by Kerrarowe. The first heat on the first heat on the present occasion fell to Reuben in 5 min. 17 sec., the second and third to Kerrarowe in 4 min. 42 sec., and 4 min. 48 sec., the fourth in 4 min. 59 sec., and the last was a walk over for Reuben. Kerrarowe relinquishing the race on the plea of a pain in his side. The second and third heats were very warmly contested.

A foot race for two hundred dollars a side between Jas. Dobson, of Barrie, and Thos. Phillips, of Orillia, will take place on Monday next, the 27th inst., at the Race Track, Barrie, distance 150 yards, men to be at the scratch at 3 p. m. sharp.

BUTCHER'S ONE-MILE BELT.—A. J. Tobin, of Montreal, challenges Nurse, the present holder of the Butcher's one-mile belt, to make a match or else give up the trophy.

The quarter of a mile foot race between D. McGregor and W. Clark, which was announced to come off on the evening of the 4th inst., took place at the Bay Hill, Almonte, in the presence of a large number of spectators. The race resulted in favor of McGregor, who won easily, Clark throwing a slipper when near the winning post, which caused him to drop off. McGregor did the quarter of a mile in fifty-eight seconds.

PONT BURWELL RACES.—Pont Burwell races will come off on the 7th and 8th October, when premiums amounting to \$250 will be offered.

## WON IN A CANTER.

(CONTINUED.)

The order was carried out, and away bowled the "Sea Wave." Harry walked the deck, humming "I'm afloat;" "The Admiral;" "A life on the ocean wave," and so on. But presently the humming ceased; and he called for a glass of brandy and water—he got, too, somewhat paler in the face.

"Captain!" he exclaimed, at length, "is it not getting very rough?"

"Rough, sir? Smooth as a mill-pond; a glorious seven-knot breeze—go round the Wight in no time, sir. Keep her full, Jones."

"Ay, ay, sir;" and the old boat went dashing along.

"If it's not rough now, I wonder what the deuce it's like when it is?" mentally asked the victim.

"It's no use, Wideawake, I can't stand it any longer. I'm getting bonstly ill," gasped poor Harry, and he rushed to the side.

"Oh, it's nothing at all, sir. You'll get over it in an hour or so—stomach out of order. There's a nice little bit of biled pork, greens, and taters, as will be ready for the men's dinner, in five minutes, sir. Have a bit; put you all to rights."

"Oh, hang it, Wideawake, don't, for heaven's sake, talk of eating—the very thought of it makes me ill. There I go again, and he rushed to the side.

"Ready about," called out the captain, and the old boat's head flew up to wind.

"Let draw!" shouted the man at the helm when he found he had got her; and the "Sea Wave" head was pointed towards Hyde again. When she got up to her moorings, Simpleman was not long in going ashore; and it was evening before he was well enough to take his stroll on the pier.

His yacht was not lying very far off the pier head, so he sat himself down looking at it, thinking that he had better have taken his uncle's advice, and left it alone. However, he was determined to give it up at the end of the month; that day's sail had thoroughly sickened him.

"A fine spot they're having on board the 'Sea Wave' this evening," exclaimed one waterman to another.

"Are they?" exclaimed his companion. "They're always having speera there directly their governor goes on shore. They hquors up wonderful."

"Who has got the old cockroach trap now?" asked the first.

"Blessed if I know," returned the other; "some London chap as knows nothing about it, or he'd soon put a stop to these games."

Simpleman waited to hear no more, but strolled slowly back; and, farther down, engaged a boat to take him to his vessel. It was just dark when he reached it; the gangway was down, so he stepped quietly on board, and descended to the state cabin.

The captain sat with his back to him. Opposite him sat another of the same kidney, and three or four on each side. Each had one of Harry's choice regalias in his mouth; and three or four bottles of his particular dry champagne were empty on the table.

The gentlemen had evidently dined, for their countenances were inflamed and fiery.

"Now, captain, give us a stave," demanded the vice-char; "a stunner, with a chorus."

"I object," said Harry, stepping briskly into the cabin. "What is the meaning of all this, Wideawake?"

"It means, sir, said that individual, slowly turning round and confronting his master, "it means that I and my friends sea-captains who has ranged round the world with me, is enjoying ourselves."

"So I see," replied Harry, "with my wine and my cigars too;" and going on deck, and sending a couple of the men on shore for port-wine, Captain Wideawake, the steward, and the cook presently found themselves in a fine way. The next morning the men were paid off, the agent came on board and took possession of the boat, and that evening it was announced in the local papers "that the well-known 'Sea Wave,' fully found and ready for sea, was to be let or sold."

This thoroughly sickened Master Harry of yachting. He took his uncle's advice, and stuck to his little place in Berkshire; had a boat, a punt, and a nice little steam launch on the Thames; got a little rough shooting, enough to amuse him, and a steady cob. He finished by running away with a deuced pretty girl with a boarding school, who had eight thousand pounds of her own; so he did not do badly. He is happy as the days are long, and as steady as old time; fond of his wife, who insists on his going out in her handsome carriage and pair every five days.

"What a lot of Simplemans there are," continued Sir John; "those two young men Punter and Bluster, always put me in mind of Harry Simpleman. I only hope they will get off as well as he did. Steward, catching

somewhat superciliously at. As for Charlie he took an instinctive dislike to him at once; he looked at him hard for some time when he thought he was not observed, and fell into a fit of musing.

"I shall be very pleased," said the Count, "to show you all that is to be seen. That is your yacht, I suppose, in the bay. A very fine vessel. My lady and mademoiselle are good sailors, I suppose?"

"Oh yes, Count, we are capital sailors," they replied, "we enjoy our trip immensely."

An invitation was given to John Turtlefat and his wife to lunch on board, and as the Count could not be very well left out, he was included with the others.

They were a merry party on board. Sir John was glad to see Turtlefat and his wife on such good terms with each other, and that he had been the means of bringing them together.

"How long, Turtlefat, have you known the Count?" asked the Baronet of him.

"Oh, nearly a month. He is a very nice fellow; I like him amazingly. I have asked him to return with us to England, there is nothing of that going on now, but he will amuse himself somehow. He says he hunts and shoots."

"Oh, indeed; does he play?"

"Well, I don't know, Sir John, whether he plays or not. He once asked me if I did, and proposed cards; but as I never play cards, no more was said about it."

The Count was very attentive to the ladies—to Mary especially. He evidently admired her brilliant beauty.

"Are you to remain here long?" he asked her.

"Oh, no, Count, we never stay long in any place; we are cruising you know—birds of passage. It is more for the sake of my cousin's health than anything else. Lord Verriest is so kind."

"Your cousin, mademoiselle? which is your cousin?"

"The gentleman who is sitting on the lee side in that easy chair"—she had got quite nautical in her language; "he had a bad accident some months ago—he was shot."

"Oh, indeed, in a duel?"

"Oh, dear no, Count, we are not guilty of such foolish things in England; it is against the law. No, it was at batine shooting. It was an accident."

The Russian fixed his glass in his eye, and took a deliberate stare at the young man, who was quietly smoking his cigar.

"Yes, mademoiselle, he is passable, but I suppose I must say to you he is very handsome," and she moved towards her father.

The Count bit his lip, and crossed over to Mrs. Turtlefat.

"So the gentleman there," he said, nodding his head towards where Charlie Thornhill was sitting, "is mademoiselle's cousin."

"Yes, Count, is he not handsome? and he is so nice."

"Well, I really cannot see anything handsome in him; but mademoiselle is exceedingly beautiful."

"Yes, Count, one of the most beautiful creatures I ever saw, and as good as she is beautiful. She will be enormously rich one of these days; but you must say nothing against Charlie Thornhill to her, nor, indeed, to any of us; she is shortly to be married to him."

The Count gave a little start as she said this, but took no further notice.

Shortly after this the Turtlefats took their leave, arranging they should all go and picnic somewhere next day.

"How do you like the Russian, Charlie?" asked Sir John.

"Not a bit," returned the other. "A presuming self-sufficient ass; but I'll take the wind out of his sails before long."

This the Baronet felt assured he would do, and this was the reason that he, Lord Verriest, and old Mr. Thornhill had a long and earnest confab after Charlie was asleep and dreaming.

The first thing that had to be done in the morning was to hire carriages, but that had been left to John Turtlefat.

The steward had orders from Lord Verriest to put up what was necessary, and by ten all was in readiness, and they were soon on shore, where Turtlefat, and his wife were waiting for them. The Count had not arrived, so Charlie managed that himself, Mary, Mrs. Turtlefat, and Lord Verriest occupied one carriage, and Lady Verriest, Sir John, Mr. Thornhill, and the Count the other. But the Count had not arrived, and they were anxious to be off. The baskets and other things had all been safely stowed away; still no Count, and Charlie began fondly to imagine he was not coming. They were all in their carriages waiting.

"Five minutes more," said his Lordship, "and then we go."

But before the five minutes the Count appeared, cantering his blood bay quietly along, followed by a servant in livery.

"We were just off, Count, without you!" exclaimed Lord Verriest. "Give your horse to your man, and jump up in the next carriage."

"What a funny thing that happened about a yacht!"

"Some four or five years ago a gentleman hired for three months a fine boat of a hundred and twenty tons, from a well-known builder, at a hundred a month. He cruised about the Wight, gave parties, picnics, and what not on board; he went the pace so hard that he presently got into difficulties. One morning, he was just starting for a sail, when a boat pulled alongside, and a couple of men came on board; they were bailiffs to seize the vessel, which, it appeared, they had an idea belonged to this gentleman, so they made an arrest."

"Very well, gentlemen," said the yachtman, "we will sail her into Cowes, for I can't pay," and he gave a few orders to his captain, he was as rollicking a fellow as I ever saw. 'Come below,' he said, turning to the two men, 'and we shall have a glass of champagne; it's the last drink, I suppose, I shall have on board.'

"Oh, I daresay it will all be arranged in a few days," said one of them, as they followed him below.

"There they had a bottle of champagne, and another; but they were too wary to take much. He tried hard to get them to partake of a third, but to no purpose.

"I suppose, sir," said one of them, "we shall soon be in Cowes, she seems going along?"

"Steward," called out the gentleman, "how far are we off Cowes?"

"Make it in another twenty minutes, sir," replied the man. "The wind is freshening."

"This was palpable to all, for the vessel began to jump and roll a bit.

"At last the two men would remain below no longer, and went on deck, followed by the other."

"Why, by heavens, we're abreast of the Needles!" they exclaimed.

"And so it was; the vessel was wide of them, though, and tearing along with every rag set."

"Ha, ha!" laughed their entertainer; "you came to arrest the vessel, my fine fellow. Now I am going to take you for a little cruise for the benefit of your healths."

"It was in vain they threatened and protested; no one would listen to them. The sailors enjoyed the joke amazingly. Well, it ended next day in their being put in their own boat, about a mile from the French coast, on the Brittany shore; and the vessel sailed off, leaving them to find their way home as well as they could, which they did about a week after."

"In a short time the vessel returned to Cowes one night and was given up to the owners all right; the captain and sailors took themselves off quietly, and no more was heard of the matter. This gentleman that hired the vessel, Count, was a countryman of yours; he has never been heard of since."

"Ah, indeed, Mr. Thornhill!" exclaimed the Russian, laughing and showing his brilliant teeth. "Very good indeed, and exceedingly well told."

"Capital," said the other gentleman. "A clever fellow that countryman of yours, Count."

"Very," replied the Russian somewhat dryly.

They rode back in the same order as they came, very much to the dissatisfaction of the Count, who said it was not fair, that Mr. Thornhill was monopolizing the ladies. But Charlie was resolute, and not to be done.

On arriving at their destination, and waiting for the boat to convey them on board, the Russian took the opportunity of touching Charlie on the arm, saying, "I wish a word with you, Monsieur Thornhill."

Quietly as it had been done, the quick eye of Sir John Forest noticed it.

"A word with me, Count? certainly." And they walked a little way apart.

"I see, Monsieur Thornhill, you know me, as you amused yourself by relating my escapade from the yacht, which happened some years ago."

"Yes, Count, I do know you; I know a good deal about you."

"Well perhaps, Mr. Thornhill, you will not refuse me a little gratification?"

"What is it, Count?" said the young man, sternly.

"To let me have a shot at you to-morrow morning. Two kilometres from here, on the road we went to-day. I will bring a friend; pistols of course."

"Certainly, Count. I will accommodate you; but perhaps you will condescend to tell me why you fasten this quarrel on me?"

"What made you tell the story of the yacht, sir?"

"Because I saw you trying to flirt and engage the whole attention of the young lady you know I am engaged to. Is that honorable?"

"Everything, sir, is honorable, as you say in England, in love or war. I intend to propose to Miss Thornhill."

"Do you, Count? then by the living God, if you do, I'll give you the best thrashing you ever had, and one you shall never forget! But you won't have the chance, for I shall

to Mr. Turf'sfat's house; his wife placed this note in my hand directly after you gave it to her to-day, and asked my advice. You may call there, but you will not be admitted, that you may be sure of. Take yourself out of the neighborhood as quickly as you can, or, by the living Harry, I'll make it too hot for you!"

## CHAPTER XXXI.

## ON THE SICK LIST.

Shirkington Duffer was carried to Alice's house perfectly senseless, with a gaping wound in his temple. The poor fellow looked a ghastly object as he lay on a bed motionless and blood-stained.

"Oh, Doctor!" Alice exclaimed, as the village practitioner entered hastily, "do you think he will die?"

"My dear lady, it is impossible to say till I see what is the nature of the injuries. You had better leave the room now, and I will come down and inform you presently."

The poor girl sat in her little parlour, waiting anxiously for the promised appearance.

At last he came.

"Doctor," she asked, "is there any hope?"

"I am afraid to say. He has a broken arm, leg, and collar-bone. I have sent to Brighton for another medical man. I do not like to be alone in such a serious case. If he has any friends, they had better be telegraphed to immediately. Do you know where he resided?"

"At Brighton, Doctor, but where I do not know."

"Well, we must look in his pockets, and see if there is any address there; if not we can easily out. You can come up with me, Miss Lee—we have him in bed. Though it is a bad case, there is always hope, if it be ever so small."

Poor Duffer's address was found; and the next morning all things, his horses, and servants had arrived at Thorley Farm. Alice had done this, for, when she saw the state he was in, her woman's heart relented.

"If I had not sent him off," she soliloquized, "it would not have happened. He might have gone an hour later, and the pigs would have been in the yard. If he dies I can never forgive myself."

Warily did the time pass; yet the true-hearted woman never left his room. There, with one of her maid-servants, did she sit the live-long night.

The doctors came, bringing with them a professional nurse, who took her place at once.

They seemed to Alice to be in his room an age; she walked about from room to room nervous and excited. At last they came downstairs.

"No hope, I see," she uttered, as she noticed their serious faces.

"We don't say that," said the elder of the two; "he is young and healthy; the broken limbs are set, as well as his collar-bone. If there is no internal injury he may pull through."

"I pray to God he may," said the poor girl. "Every attention shall be paid him. Do you think he will come to his senses?"

"It is impossible to say at present. My dear young lady, you must have patience."

"I will," she said, "but oh it is a fearful accident."

"All that can be done, young lady, will," replied the Brighton doctor. He was a man of great reputation. "I shall see him again to-night, but my confrere will look in again about one o'clock this afternoon. Now, you must not worry yourself, but hope for the best," and they left her.

The poor thing was in and out of his room watching him, and asking endless questions of the nurse.

She would go into the stable and see if his horses were comfortable, and then to his bedside.

The day had passed slowly and wearily away. The Brighton doctor had come and gone. Nearly thirty hours had elapsed; still no change. The agony of suspense was becoming insupportable. She could settle to nothing. About midnight, as she was watching alone—for the nurse had left the room for a minute—she saw his pale lips move, and he uttered, "Water."

The drink that had been made, should he require it, was instantly at his lips. Then he babbling in an incoherent way, but, maimed and bruised as he was, he could not move.

Then he fell into a doze again. She sat, never moving, looking at him. However unworthy he was, she loved him with all her woman's heart.

She would have given all she possessed, ay, ten times more, to have recalled him to health and happiness! but there he lay, a maimed man before her, hovering between life and death.

"Oh, Shirk," she uttered, "how happy we might have been." She never thought, poor

as she saw him staring vacantly about. "Don't you know me—Alice Lee? you have been very ill, but you will, thank God, soon be better."

He seemed puzzled, and evidently did not realize his situation. At last a faint smile crossed his face, and he said, "I want a lawyer."

"You had better send for Mr. Langley at once, Miss," said the nurse. "Do not let him die."

"Dear Shirk," said the fond woman, leaning over him, "you shall have a lawyer; I have sent for one." He smiled faintly again, and then dozed off.

An hour or more went by. The man of law was there, and waiting for the waking of poor Shirkington Duffer, whom we have carried through so many scenes.

At last he awoke, calm, and perfectly conscious.

Alice was at his side on the instant. "Shirk," she said, "the gentleman whom you wish is here—the lawyer."

"Thank you, Alice," he gently replied, "leave me with him a little."

"Now, sir," he commenced, "my time is short. I wish you to draw up my will as quickly as possible, and to condense it into as small a space as may be. I leave everything I have in the world to Alice Lee, the mistress of this house. My horses and effects are to be disposed of, except such as she may wish to keep. I ask to be buried in the village, and that she will put up a tomb-stone to my memory. That is all I have to say. Do it as quickly as you can."

Shirkington's wishes were soon put on paper, and it was read over to him.

"That is what you wish, Mr. Duffer," asked the lawyer, "is it not?"

"Quite so, sir," replied the poor fellow. "Now let it be witnessed by the doctors."

They had just entered the room, and before them he signed it, and they affixed their signatures as well. This done the will was delivered to him.

"I feel easier in my mind, gentlemen, now this is finished. I cannot expect to recover, and I have given all to her who deserves it most. Tell Alice I wish to see her."

The unhappy girl entered presently, pale and trembling.

"My poor, dear fellow, what is it?" she asked.

"Alice, dear Alice, will you do me one last favor," he demanded.

"Yes," she replied, anything that you ask.

"Alice, marry me before I die. I shall die happier. I must go; I know it. I am very young, but so it must be; forgive me all, and be my wife."

The poor creature threw herself, in an agony of grief, on her knees beside his bed. Even the medical men, who were accustomed to such scenes, were affected.

That evening the clergyman of the village made them man and wife, and she remained that live-long night beside her husband, his hand in hers, without moving.

In vain did her servants and the nurse beg her to go to rest—that she should be called if any change took place. She would not move, and, save a cup of tea which was brought to her, naught else passed her lips.

Morning found her in the same position, but deadly pale.

The doctors came as usual, and to the questions put them, said there was no difference. "But," remarked the Brighton practitioner, "the longer he lasts, the more hope we have. There is a possibility of his pulling through."

Those few words put fresh life into her. She was another creature; hope was in her heart, and she became comparatively happy.

Towards the afternoon Bluster arrived. He had heard of the accident, and with him came Pastern; but not a word of her marriage did she utter.

"I cannot tell you, Miss Lee," said the honest-hearted Bluster, "how dreadfully shocked I am at this poor fellow's accident. Although latterly we were not on friendly terms, I bear no malice, and should be only too glad to shake hands with him again in health. Do you think I may see him?"

"Although mum, I ain't his servant now," exclaimed the ex-groom, with tears in his eyes. "I can't forget old times. He'd his faults, like other men, and some bad ones too; but he wasn't a regular bad 'un. He came into money too quick, he did, afore he was properly bitted and weighted. Young 'uns will be young 'uns, always kicking over the traces; he'd a-come out all that, though, in time. If not too bold, I should like to see him too."

"I do not know, Pastern, that either you or Mr. Bluster can see him; but I will go and find out," and she had a consultation with the nurse.

"Shirk, dear," she asked, leaning over him, "your old friend Mr. Bluster, with Pastern, are below. They have come to inquire after you. Would you like to see them?"

"Yes, Alice; very much. Let them come up."

They were both terribly shocked to find him in such a state. He looked out his one



THE ENGLISH ST. LEGER.

DONcaster, SEPT. 15, 1875.

At 10 to the Derby the greatest race run in England... The Town Meet at Doncaster.

The betting before the race was 4 to 1 against Seymour... The French candidate, of whom so much had been predicted, were never dangerous.

Thirteen of the 193 nominations came to the post. When the flag fell Seymour made the running for the grand field, but was closely pressed by Craig Millar, Balfo and Earl of Dartrey.

MEMORANDUM.

The ninety-ninth renewal of the St. Leger Stakes of 20 sovs. each, for three-year-olds; colts to carry 122 lbs. and fillies 117 lbs.

- Mr W S Crawford's ch c Craig Millar, by Fair Athol, out of Miss Roland, 122 lbs. 1 Prince Solykoff's br c Balfo, by Plaudit, out of Bohemia, 122 lbs. 2 Mr Savill's b c Earl of Dartrey, by The Earl, out of Reguloche, 122 lbs. 3 Mr W S Mitchell-Ines' ch c St. Leger, by Trumpeter, out of Marigold, 122 lbs. 4 Lord Falkmouth's b c Droadnought, by Young Melbourne, out of Nike, 122 lbs. 5 M Aumont's b c Rabagas II., by Ray Bias, out of Claudine, 122 lbs. 6 Mr Tucker's b c Seymour, by Lord Cliden, out of Labiola, 122 lbs. 7 M Lupton's b c St. Cyr, by Dollar, out of Finlande, 122 lbs. 8 Lord Fitzwilliams' br c Breechblower, by Macaroni, out of Benchy Head, 122 lbs. 9 Prince Solykoff's b c New Holland, by Young Melbourne, out of Bounceaway, 122 lbs. 10 Count Lagrange's b c Gilbert, by Lord Cliden, dam by Topophilite, 122 lbs. 11 Mr Johnston's b c Perkin Warbeck, by Adventure, out of Bumblekite, 122 lbs. 12 Mr J Webster's b c Dalbreck, by Strathconia, out of Slut, 122 lbs. 13

Time, 3:20.

BASE BALL.

The Young Canadians of Dundas played a fine game with the "Sleeman" nine of Quebec on the grounds of the latter, on Wednesday. The Dundas youths were the victors by a score of 13 to 5.

Table with columns: YOUNG CANADIANS, SLEEMAN NINE, O R, and scores for various players.

Runs each innings, 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9. Young Canadians, 2 0 0 1 6 4 0 0 0-13. Sleeman Nine, 2 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 0-5.

ATHLETICS VS. TECUMSETHS.

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THE GUELPH GAME.—The recent decision of Mr. E. M. Moore, of this city, in the base ball match between the Guelph and Kingston clubs at Toronto is upheld by all who are acquainted with the rules. The Guelph Herald has this to say:—"With regard to Mr. Moore, we may say that he is well known as one of the best umpires in Canada, and as a man whose character is such that he would not willingly give a wrong decision."

A DEER ATTACKS THREE GIRLS.

A LIFE AND DEATH STRUGGLE ON THE WATER.

A letter from Scholota, Pa., dated Monday, the 6th., tells this singular story: Yesterday afternoon three young women residing near the Big Brink pond, in Scholota township, started to go berrying. They were obliged to cross the pond to reach the woods. Before entering they saw something in the distance swimming in the water. Thinking it was a dog, they paid no attention to it, but started on their way across the pond, which is about two miles wide. After rowing for several hundred yards, the girl who was piloting the boat saw that what they first thought to be a dog swimming in the water was a buck, which was coming directly toward them.

THE "BOSS SENSATION" OF THE PERIOD.

Some enterprising individual of Springfield, Ill., has conceived the idea that the establishment of a "Lady Base-ball Club" would not only be a novelty, but greatly add to his cachet, and therefore has organized what he calls "The National Amusement Association," for the purpose of giving the public an opportunity of witnessing a series of games between the "Blondes" and the "Brunettes."

SEVEN HUNDRED SHEEP FRIGHTENED TO DEATH.

Last week we mentioned the loss of a large number of sheep in the hills back of Mission San Jose, belonging to Mr. Ashurst, but were misinformed as to the mode of their death. It was not by rushing down a steep precipice, but in another and most singular way the misfortune occurred.

They immediately commenced running down hill as fast as they could. At or near the bottom of the hill a large patch of poison oak was growing, and they rushed pell mell into it. Here their legs got so entangled that they could not move.

A DETESTABLE KIND OF LARCENCY.

HOW THE HORSES GO.

The fact that cattle of all kinds are allowed to wander as they wish, by night and day, more especially in the rural districts, give excellent opportunity to those so inclined to furnish themselves with almost any kind of animal they may have a liking to; but the rum seems to be on horses principally. Quite a number of farmers in this district have lately had valuable animals stolen in this way, the latest case being that of a Dorchester farmer, who put out a valuable mare and foal to graze, the other evening, and next morning found them both gone.

A GAME COMMISSIONER.

Canada has done the very thing which we have so often recommended—appointed a game commissioner. The duties of the office are to supervise and instruct the district commissioners and wardens in the discharge of their duties, to assist as far as practicable in the prosecution of offenders, and generally to see that the provisions of the law for the preservation of useful birds and animals are carried out.

valuable Clydesdales are bred within about 28 miles of Glasgow; their style and usefulness have of late years been improved by breeding them with finer and less hair about the legs. It is the hay of the Clydesdales that enables the Scotch farmer to overtake his work with so few horses.

A STRANGE FISH.

Mr. H. W. Johnston, of the Marine and Fisheries Department, has presented to the Provincial Museum a large sized specimen of the Physalis pelagica, or Portuguese man-of-war, as the strange thing is called by sailors. It was caught off the mouth of the harbor yesterday morning. The specimen agrees with the description given by naturalists. Its body is oblong, and consists of an air sack, so constructed that the creature floats on the surface of the water.

PARTICULAR.

A certain doctor in Chicago recently announced in the papers that he wished to buy a team that could trot in double harness in three minutes. His advertisement was soon answered by a rural Sucker, who claimed to have the identical team. "All right," said the doctor. "Let us adjourn to Dexter Park, give the horses a trial, and if they fill the bill I will buy them."

MR. H. P. McGRATH VINDICATED BY THE KENTUCKY ASSOCIATION.

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In a newspaper called The Spirit of the Times, have lately been published editorial articles containing charges against the conduct of Mr. H. P. McGrath, as a turfman. This association believes that those charges are false. Mr. McGrath is, and has been for a long time, a member of this Association; and as such, his course has been marked by courtesy, honor, and generosity.

1. That this Association believes that the charges made against him in the paper referred to, be it resolved:

Park, she defeated Thomas Jefferson and three others in 2:25, 2:25 1/2, 2:24 1/2, 2:25. Last year at Cleveland she won the purse for the 2:24 class, trotting in 2:22 1/2, 2:20 1/2, 2:23 1/2, 2:24 1/2, winning the last three heats. Bodine distanced taking the first. At Springfield, Mass., Bodine distanced her in the first heat in the race for the 2:24 class, and she was last to Goldsmith Maid. American Girl and Fullerton at Hartford in the free for all. At Mystic Park, previous to the Hartford race, she won a second heat in 2:18 1/2, being beaten by the race by Bodine, and at Rochester August 11th, she made her best record that year, defeated Derby Triumph, George, and Badger Girl, in 2:21, 2:24 1/2, 2:16 1/2, the last heat being the fastest third heat ever trotted with the exception of Goldsmith Maid's 2:10 at East Saginaw.

GENOA'S CITY OF THE DEAD.

Col. Forney writes: "There is, perhaps, no finer evidence of the affluence of living Genoa than a visit to the marble city in which the dead of Genoa are entombed. There is the celebrated Campa Santa, one and a half miles from the town, the boasted cemetery of the ancient maritime capital. It is a complete square, covering several acres, the whole surrounded by granite arcades two or three stories high on one side, the open space filled with graves emptied every seven years, and the bones transferred to catacombs, after the fashion of Paris and Rome.

"Here was the faithful marble medallion likeness of the dear father or mother. Here the faces and figures of the whole family, including the children around the death-bed of their parent; there were many of this kind. Here was a full length statue which you could see was a likeness when the ashes below moved in life. There were groups costing from \$12,000 to \$20,000 each; the soldier stood over his own grave in his own image; the sailor stood by his helm; the architect with his plan; the navigator with his compass; the statesman in his chair; the student with fingers between the leaves of his favorite book. And there was one vault, that of the Pallaricini family, at the door of which a bright angel stood with the flaming sword waving away all earthly admittance to the solemn chamber. It was all very unique and costly, and it was not old, for most of these treasures have been selected and created within the last fifteen years. The work itself is the work of the city of Genoa, and the revenue comes from those who bury the dead in the open space and from the wealthy owners of the surrounding arcades.

"The chapel, after the Pantheon at Rome, was a poem in itself; and the solid dark Italian marble pillars, each cut of a single shaft of stone, polished into almost diamond brightness, making a circle like a halo, and the outlook from the broad porch, with the hills clad in snow in the distance, and the delicate rose blushing on the wall, made altogether a scene unusual, and a memory that can never be forgotten; and when my friend pointed out to me the rock near which the Italian patriot, Mazzini, was buried, almost in the embrace of his dear mother's grave, I felt that the picture was complete."

ALL SORTS.

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A party who recently had unsuccessfully tried fishing on Cayuga Lake and had gone ashore saw an eagle flying over them, bearing a large fish in his talons. They gave a loud scream, which so startled the eagle that he dropped the fish at their feet. It proved to be a pike weighing more than three pounds still alive, and it furnished them a hearty meal.

The lacrosse match on Saturday afternoon between the Shamrocks of Montreal and Keraronwe's team of Caughnawaga Indians, for the championship of the world and \$500 a side, was the tarest affair of the kind that ever came off in Montreal. The Shamrocks had everything their own way from the beginning, and won the match so easily as to send every spectator away with the impression that the braves are not much after all.

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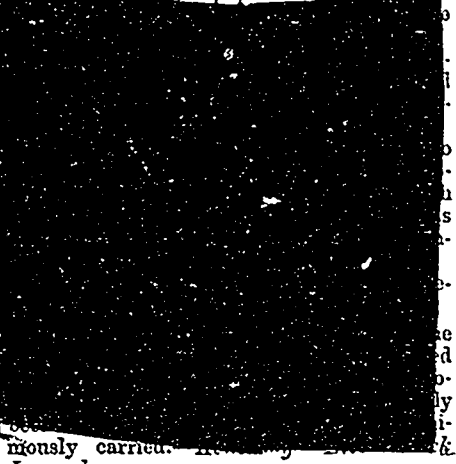
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An appropriately-named horse, also of appropriate stock, won the £400 plate at the Galway races. The name of the horse was The Liberator, and his sire was called Dan O'Connell. Mr. C. H. Hawkes is the fortunate owner.

THE COMING TROTTER IN CALIFORNIA.—Mr. Stark, of Vallejo, has a wonderful mare at Agricultural Park, Sacramento; she jogged half a mile on Aug. 19 in 1:09, pushing Jim Brown, the pacer, off his pins.

Walking horse races have come into usage at Western fairs. It is urged in favor of such contests that horses able to walk at the rate of four or five mile an hour are of more value to farmers, for farm work, than those that can trot a mile in 3:20.



The Gentleman's Journal.

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To our Subscribers.

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RACING FIXTURES.

SEPTEMBER.

Table listing racing fixtures for September: Ogdenburgh (28 to 30), Lexington, Ky. (28 to Oct. 2), Fergus Ont. (29 to Oct. 1).

OCTOBER.

Table listing racing fixtures for October: Nashville, Tenn. (4 to 8), St. Thomas (7 to 8), Chatham, Ont. (12 to 14), Terre Haute, Ind. (12 to 15), Carlton Park, Toronto (15 to 16), Woodbine Park, Toronto (19 to 22), Baltimore, Md. (20 to 22).

ENTRIES CLOSE.

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STRATFORD FALL RACES.

Better days for racing than Tuesday and Wednesday could hardly have been desired, the weather being comfortably warm without being hot. The attendance at the Driving Park was very fair, although scarcely so large as at former meetings, probably on account of harvesting operations taking away a large portion of the farming community.

The programme presented was a good one, and promised excellent sport, which promise was amply sustained, the races being equal to, if not ahead of any that have yet taken place over the course.

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Table of race results for Sept. 7: C Doyle's Emly (1 1), B Harkness' Jroy Hiley (2 2), J Regan's Johnny Green (dis).

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Time, 2:35 1/2, 2:35 3/4, 2:37.

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Table of race results for Domion bred Running Race: Launan's Maratimo (2 1), Boyle's Mignonette (1 3), Morton's Goldfinch (3 2), Lowell's Gil D Roy (0 0), Horton's Trumpeter (dis).

Time, 1:50, 1:50, 1:51 1/4.

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Table of race results for Sept. 8: Ostrom's Livery Boy (1 1), Nichol's King John (2 2), Bushell's Johnny Gordon (2 2).

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Table of race results for Running: Morton's Goldfinch (1 1), Launan's Maratimo (2 2), Harkness' Grey Hiley (3 3), Lowell's Gil D Roy (0 0), Boyle's Mignonette (dr).

Time, 1:49 1/2, 1:49 3/4.

Open Trot. Mile heats, 3 in 5.

Table of race results for Open Trot: Forbes & Burgess' York State (3 1), Polley's Big Tom (2 2), J Forbes' Little Angus (2 dis).

Time, 2:35 1/2, 2:35 3/4, 2:34 1/2, 2:30 1/2.

RACING AT PRESCOTT.

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ple for the slim attendance. Only one of the running races had filled, and the sport on this, the first day, was confined to trotting.

To-day's sport opened with the County Trot. Pools sold as follows:—Comet, \$20; Startle, \$18; Henrietta, \$12, and the field \$8. In the 2:37 trot the pools last night sold:—Vanderbilt, \$20; Pilot, \$10; Varcoe, \$5; Alexander, \$5; Sam, General Grant and Woodruff, \$4 each. In the County Trot, Comet was withdrawn and Startle became favourite.

THE COUNTY TROT.—For horses owned in the County of Wentworth that have never beat 8 minutes. Purse \$100; 1st prize \$70; 2nd, \$20; 3rd, \$10.

Startle won in three straight heats, Henrietta second. Time, 2:54 1/2, 2:58 1/2, and 2:58. Lockstitch and Hookeys were distanced in the first heat.

In the \$200 trot there were eight entries, the starters being Pilot, Varcoe, Sam, Alexander, Vanderbilt, General Grant, and Woodruff. Johnny Gordon was withdrawn.

The first heat was won by Sam in 2:32 1/2, second heat by Vanderbilt in 2:36, third heat by Vanderbilt in 2:38. The fourth heat was declared off in consequence of darkness setting in.

EXETER RACES.

FIRST DAY.

Sept. 15.—Green Trot. Purse \$50; \$30 to first, 15 to second, 5 to third.

Table of race results for Green Trot: Coughlin's Lady Brant (2 1), Snell's St Lawrence (1 2), Hall's Gipsy Lass (3 4), Hatley's Black Rapid (4 3), Owen's Cripple (5 5), Pratt's Kitty Pratt (6 6).

Best time, 3:03 1/4.

Running. Mile heats. Purse \$200; \$125 to first, 50 to second, 25 to third.

Table of race results for Running: Dr Morton's Goldfinch (1 1), Lowell's Gil D Roy (2 2), Meredith's Galt Reporter (4 3), Paul Wood's Galvantrass (3 4), Wardal's Northern Chaffey (13 5).

Time, 1:52, 1:53.

Trotting. 2:50 race. Purse \$175; \$100 to first, 50 to second, 25 to third.

Table of race results for Trotting: A Nichol's King John (1 1), Ella's Lady Dextrass (2 2), Daley's Juliet (3 3), Corbey's Romance (4 4), Emerson's Lady Moscow (5 5).

Time, 2:59, 2:55, 2:55.

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Time, :54, :56.

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Running. 2 mile dash. Purse \$275; \$100 to first, 50 to second, 25 to third.

Table of race results for Running: Meredith's Galt Reporter (1), Paul Wood's Prince Edward (2), Lowell's Gil D Roy (3), Dr Morton's Goldfinch (4).

Time, 4:03.

Open Trot. Purse \$200; \$125 to first, 50 to second, 25 to third.

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Time, 2:50, 2:49, 2:49.

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AMUSEMENTS.

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The Queens is open nightly with a good variety company. The pantomime takes like hot cakes, hile the singing, dancing, and Ethiopean sketches fill out a good programme.

Frank McEvoy's New Hibernian and Hibernian Minstrels are at the Royal this (Friday) and Saturday evenings.

Mr. Kennedy, the Scottish Vocalist, assisted by his family, opens at the Music Hall on Monday next.

Mr. Harry Cardova, the agent of the Gourlay's, is in town.

QUOITS.

A match was played at Galt on 17th inst. between the Scarborough and Galt clubs, resulting in favor of Galt by 12 shots. At the conclusion of the match the same men played a friendly game, which was also won by Galt by 25 shots.

COBOURG.

THE ANNUAL REGATTA.—At the regatta held here on Wednesday the following yachts started, viz.—Lady Standley, Annie Cuthbert, and Gorilla in the first-class, and the Surprise, Nioma, and Fury, in the second class. The start for first-class was made in the following order:—

Table listing regatta results: Gorilla (18 17), Cuthbert (10 17), Standley (10 18), Surprise (10 28), Fury (10 27), Nioma (10 27).

There was very little wind as the yachts stood towards the western buoy, placed six miles up the lake, near Port Hope, but after rounding it the breeze freshened a bit. On their return the yachts passed the Cobourg pier in the following order:—

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On their return from the eastern buoy, six miles down the lake, which finished the race for the second-class yachts, the Surprise passed first and won the highest prize, the Nioma the second. The Cuthbert made the pier on the return at 2:08, Standley 2:18, and the Gorilla nowhera. On their return at four miles and back the Lady Standley and Annie Cuthbert kept about the same distance apart, the Annie Cuthbert coming in five and a half minutes ahead, but in consequence of having to allow the Lady Standley fifteen minutes on her way and three quarters of a minute on starting, the Lady Standley was declared the winner of the first prize by ten minutes, and Annie Cuthbert second prize. Some disappointment was felt at the non arrival of the Quilo, as she was expected, but she only arrived in time to see the close of the race.

PACIFIC JOCKEY CLUB.

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Yours, etc., W. S. E. C.

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Lowell's Gil D Roy ..... 0 0  
Boyle's Mignonette ..... dr  
Time, 1.49½, 1.49½.

Open Trot. Mile heats, 3 in 5.  
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The race of the day, however, was the contest between Jacques Cartier and Safe. Safe lead from the first in the first heat, but Jacques Cartier pulled up, and there was good neck-and-neck trotting. The latter won this heat, as well as the second, and won the race by half-a-length. Village Girl did not turn up. The owner of Jacques Cartier has challenged her proprietor to trot the nag for \$250, and Mr. Emond adds \$150. The match will come off on Wednesday next at Emond's track.

HAMILTON FALL MEETING.

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Owen's Cripple ..... 6 6 6  
Pratt's Kitty Pratt ..... 6 6 6  
Best time, 3:03½.

Running. Mile heats. Purse \$200; \$125 to first, 50 to second, 25 to third.  
Dr Morton's Goldfinch ..... 1 1  
Lowell's Gil D Roy ..... 2 2  
Meredith's Galt Reporter ..... 4 3  
Paul Wood's Galvantsess ..... 8 4  
Wardal's Northern Charley ..... 2 6  
Time, 1.52, 1.53.

Trotting. 2:50 race. Purse \$175; \$100 to first, 50 to second, 25 to third.  
A Nichol's King John ..... 1 1 1  
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Meredith's Galt Reporter ..... 1  
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Dr Morton's Goldfinch ..... 4  
Time, 4:03.

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WARD CHALLENGES BOGARDUS.

BUFFALO, Sept. 1, 1875.

EDITORS TURF, FIELD AND FARM.—I will back my brother, James Ward, of Toronto, Canada, to shoot against A. H. Bogardus for \$500 a side, the match to be shot at Buffalo. I will give two weeks' notice as soon as I get the birds. Enclosed you will find \$100 as forfeit, and the balance I will put up one week before the match, if accepted, the editor of the Turf, Field and Farm to be stakeholder and name a referee. Each to shoot at 50 single blackbirds, ground traps, 21 yards rise, and 25 pair of double-rise pigeons, from ground traps, 21 yards rise, the traps to be placed ten yards apart. I will furnish all the birds for the match, and if I should not be able to procure the exact quantity of blackbirds, then the remainder to be made up with pigeons. Excepting these propositions, the match to be governed by the new rules of Canada for pigeon shooting. Bogardus to pay \$20 for half the birds.

ROBERT WARD,  
Buffalo.

between the Scarborough and Galt clubs, resulting in favor of Galt by 12 shots. At the conclusion of the match the same men played a friendly game, which was also won by Galt by 25 shots.

COBOURG.

THE ANNUAL REGATTA.—At the regatta held here on Wednesday the following yachts started, viz:—Lady Standley, Annie Cuthbert, and Gorilla in the first-class, and the Surprise, Nioma, and Fury, in the second class. The start for first-class was made in the following order:—

	H	M	S
Gorilla	18	17	00
Cuthbert	10	17	80
Standley	10	18	80
Surprise	10	26	80
Fury	10	27	20
Nioma	10	27	00

There was very little wind as the yachts stood towards the western buoy, placed six miles up the lake, near Port Hope, but after rounding it the breeze freshened a bit. On their return the yachts passed the Cobourg pier in the following order:—

	H	M	S
Cuthbert	12	35	00
Standley	13	45	80
Gorilla	12	52	00
Surprise	12	54	00

On their return from the eastern buoy, six miles down the lake, which finished the race for the second-class yachts, the Surprise passed first and won the highest prize, the Nioma the second. The Cuthbert made the pier on the return at 2:08, Standley 2:18½, and the Gorilla nowhere. On the stretch out four miles and back the Lady Standley and Annie Cuthbert kept about the same distance apart, the Annie Cuthbert coming in five and a half minutes ahead, but in consequence of having to allow the Lady Standley fifteen minutes on tonnage, and three-quarters of a minute on starting, the Lady Standley was declared the winner of the first-prize by ten minutes, and Annie Cuthbert second prize. Some disappointment was felt at the non arrival of the Oriole, as she was expected, but she only arrived in time to see the close of the race.

PACIFIC-JOCKEY CLUB.

In another column will be found the advertisement of the great four-mile heats running race for the princely purse of \$30,000 in gold, given by that young and enterprising association, the Pacific Jockey Club of California. The meeting, at which this great race will be run, takes place on Saturday, November 13, over the new track of the Bay District-Fair Ground Association, at San Francisco, and although it is only the third annual meeting of the Jockey Club, it has already attained a lofty position among the turf organizations of the United States. The coming race between the best four-mile horses in America promises to be the most interesting yet run on the Pacific coast, for the horses, which will undoubtedly be entered, have all won honor and renown by their previous performances on the racing turf. The best horses of the East have been purchased expressly to run for this magnificent purse, and the battle of the equine giants on the Bay District Course, in November next, will attract tens of thousands to the scene of contest. Springbok, Rutherford, Grinstead, and Wild Idle have already started for the golden shores of the Pacific, and Balankeeel, we understand, leaves for the same destination immediately after the Louisville meeting. Katie Pease, the winner of last year's great four-mile heat race, Ballot Box, and Henry will probably represent the California turf; and it is rumored that Australia has sent its equine champion to take part in the momentous contest. The Pacific Jockey Club have acted with rare judgment and liberality in their executive arrangements, for they have divided the purse so as to afford four rich prizes: the winning horse receiving \$15,000, the second \$6,000, the third \$5,000, and the fourth \$4,000. Horses entered from east of the Rocky Mountains are allowed \$1,000, from Europe and Australia \$1,500, for expenses. The same scale of weights previously adopted in this race will be in force: three-year-olds, carrying 90 lbs.; four-year-olds, 104 lbs.; five-year-olds, 110 lbs.; six-year-olds and upwards, 114 lbs.

The entries close on Oct. 19, with the Secretary of the Club, Mr. John Martin, at the Lick House, San Francisco, and the announcement of the horses that will be found engaged in the great race will be awaited with great interest by turfmen in every section of the Continent.—*Wilkes.*

**HORSES.**

Yesterday, at Bord-a-Plouffe, 75 carriage and draught horses, and 20 blood and carriage mares were offered for sale by auction. Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather and very hard times, about 800 people assembled, and bidding at first was slow; but as the better horses were brought out, became keen and spirited. Prices were considered very satisfactory. Heavy draught teams ranged from \$180 to \$820; carriage horses \$70 to \$165 each; single draught from \$40 to \$90 each; carriage teams, \$200 to \$800. The brood mares were bought chiefly by farmers from the back country, averaging about \$100 each. About 95 horses were sold, the remainder being out at the time.—*Montreal Star.*

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This famous hardler, the property of Mr. Joseph Donahue, after his break-down last year, was retired upon the farm of Capt. Powers, in Baltimore County, Md., where he was turned out to pasture with a number of crippled farm and cold-blooded horses. But the aristocratic racer displayed almost human intelligence and pride. He refused to herd with the common stock, and would not even remain in the same part of the field with them except at certain hours. Each morning and evening, about the hours when race-horses are trained, he takes his accustomed exercise, walking around in a circle of about sixty yards for about an hour as steadily as when under the tuition of his trainer. After exercising his allotted time, he leaves his walking ground and for a time capers gaily about the lot, as though delighted at having finished his work. In the evening he takes his gallop, throwing his head up defiantly, as though challenging any or all of his scrub companions to enter the lists with him. After keeping up a rattling pace for a time, he settles down into a steady tramp for about an hour, then quietly walks into his stable. These daily walking and running exercises are repeated with the utmost regularity. The other horses in the same inclosure now follow his example, and every morning and evening may be seen moving regularly around the circle, headed by George West. Hundreds of persons visit the farm to see them. Beyond the walking George does not associate with the other horses, indulging in his gallops entirely alone and keeping apart from them all other hours of the day. George West is a chestnut horse, six years old, by Asteroid, dam Kate Hayes, by imported Albion; 2nd dam Eudora, by imported Priam, &c. He was esteemed as one of the best hurdlers of his day, and in his four-year-old form won eight out of his sixteen engagements.

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ORIGINAL AND SELECTED.

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- 3.—\$300. Free for all. Dash of Five miles. \$200 to first, 60 to second, 40 to third.

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- 5.—\$100. Consolation Purse. Open to all horses beaten during the meeting. Horses beaten once, allowed 7 lbs; twice, 12



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The Carlton Club announces that their Autumn Meeting will take place at Carlton Park on FRIDAY & SATURDAY, October 15th and 16th.

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- No. 1.—Hurdle Race, handicap. \$140. Open to all Canadian half-bred horses. One and a half miles, over six hurdles. 100 to first, 25 to second, 15 to third. Top weight 166 lbs.
- No. 2.—Merchants' Purse. \$150. Handicap, one-half mile heats, open to all Dominion bred horses. 125 to first, 25 to second.
- No. 3.—Hotel Keepers' Purse. \$250. Open to all, mile heats, 2 in 3. 200 to first, 50 to second.
- No. 4.—Hack Race. \$50. Open to all horses that have been used in cabs in the City of Toronto for two months prior to the date of this bill. 40 to first, 10 to second. Dash of three-quarters of a mile.

**SECOND DAY, SATURDAY.**

- No. 1.—Hurdle Race, handicap, mile heats, 2 in 3. \$200. 150 to first, 35 to second, 15 to third.
- No. 2.—Home Purse. \$225. Handicap, open to all Dominion bred horses, one and a quarter mile heats, 2 in 3. 175 to first, 50 to second.
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- No. 4.—Stewards' Purse, handicap. \$125. Open to all horses. Gentleman riders. A dash of one mile. Top weight, 175 lbs. 100 to first, 25 to second.

**CONDITIONS.**

- 1.—Entrance ten per cent on first money only.
- 2.—All entries must specify age, name, color, sex, and pedigree, and must be made on or before October 11th, at 9 p.m., or mailed prior to that time, addressed to the Secretary, care of the English Chop House, or P. O. Box 989, Toronto.
- 3.—Province bred horses allowed ten pounds.
- 4.—Three horses to enter, and two to start.
- 5.—Weights—3 years, 92 lbs; 4 years, 108 lbs; 5 years, 112 lbs; 6 year and aged, 118 lbs; 3 lbs allowance to mares and geldings. Light welter weights, 28 lbs extra, heavy welter weights, 40 lbs extra.
- Admission to the Course, 25 cents; Grand Stand, free.
- Special Excursion Trains will run to the Course each day.

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N. B.—50 box stalls for horses close to the course.  
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**ST. THOMAS DRIVING PARK**

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- 2nd.—Running, \$300. Half-mile heats, best 2 in 3; for horses bred and owned in the County of Elgin; catch weights. \$50 to first, 20 to second, 10 to third.
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**RULES AND REGULATIONS.**

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#### BILLIARDS.

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- 1.—\$225. 1½-mile heats for Dominion breds. \$175 to first, 80 to second, 20 to third.
- 2.—\$125. Flat Race, gentleman riders handicap, top weight 180 lbs., jockeys five pounds extra. Dash of a mile. \$100 to first, 25 to second.
- 3.—\$225. Steeple Chase. Open to all. Dash of two and a quarter miles, over the steeple chase ground. Handicap. \$175 to first, 80 to second, 20 to third.
- 4.—\$350. Dash of three miles. Open to all horses. \$250 to first, 60 to second, 40 to third.
- 5.—\$100. Consolation Purse. Open to all horses beaten during the meeting. Horses beaten once, allowed 7 lbs; twice, 12 lbs; three times, 15 lbs. Dash of a mile \$75 to first, 25 to second.

#### Rules and Regulations.

Entries close at the Woodbine, Yonge St., Toronto, on Wednesday, 18th Oct., at 9 p.m.  
Entrance, 10 per cent. on first money only.  
Trotting to be governed by the rules of the National Association. Racing by Dominion Rules.  
Trotting to be mile heats, 8 in 5, in harness, unless when otherwise specified.  
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bull. 40 to first, 10 to second. Dash of three quarters of a mile.

#### SECOND DAY, SATURDAY.

- No. 1.—Hurdle Race, handicap, mile heats, 2 in 3. \$200. 160 to first, 85 to second, 15 to third.
- No. 2.—Home Purse. \$225. Handicap, open to all Dominion bred horses, one and a quarter mile heats, 2 in 3. 175 to first, 50 to second.
- No. 3.—Lambton Purse. \$200. Handicap, open to all. Three-quarter mile heats, 2 in 3. 160 to first, 40 to second.
- No. 4.—Stewards' Purse, handicap. \$125. Open to all horses. Gentleman riders. A dash of one mile. Top weight, 175 lbs. 100 to first, 25 to second.

#### CONDITIONS.

- 1.—Entrance ten per cent on first money only.
- 2.—All entries must specify age, name, color, sex, and pedigree, and must be made on or before October 11th, at 9 p. m., or mailed prior to that time, addressed to the Secretary, care of the English Chop House, or P. O. Box 369, Toronto.
- 3.—Province bred horses allowed ten pounds.
- 4.—Three horses to enter, and two to start.
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4. Any person protesting against a horse starting in a race, shall deposit 10 per cent of the purse for which said horse is entered, as a guarantee of protest.  
5. Any horse distancing the field shall be entitled to the first money only.  
6. Entrance money of horses proved to be ineligible, will be forfeited and revert to the Lessee of the Park.  
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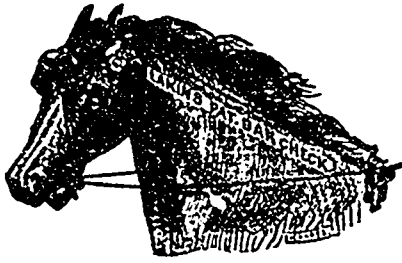


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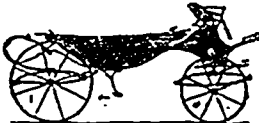
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## "A LITTLE DUCK."

MISS BECKWITH'S FIVE-MILE SWIM FROM LONDON BRIDGE TO GREENWICH.

A young girl named Agnes Alice Beckwith, daughter of the professor of swimming at Lambeth Baths, yesterday accomplished the difficult feat of swimming from London Bridge to Greenwich. The distance is rather more than five miles, and the time was remarkably fast—namely, 1h. 7m. 45s. Mr. Beckwith has been connected with the Lambeth Baths for nearly a quarter of a century, and for fourteen years held the proud position of champion swimmer of England. The heroine of yesterday's proceedings is but fourteen years old, of slim make and diminutive stature. The object was to decide a wager of £60 to £40 laid against her by Mr. Baylis, the money being deposited with *Bell's Life*. The event created a great deal of excitement, and all along the route the progress of the swimmer was watched by excited crowds on the wharfs and barges. In addition to the London Steamboat Company's Volunteer, a private steam launch, and a rowing boat containing her father, the referee and some half dozen others immediately interested in the result, a perfect swarm of boats accompanied—and indeed impeded—the swimmer the entire distance. London Bridge was crowded, as were the vessels and other points whence a view of the start could be obtained.

Miss Beckwith dived from the rowing boat at nine minutes to five, and at once commenced a rapid side stroke, which she maintained to the finish. She was attired in a swimming costume of light rose pink flama, trimmed with white braid and lace of the same color. The water was very smooth and the tide running about three miles per hour. Swimming about a couple of yards in the rear of the referee's boat, Tunnel Pier was reached at 11 minutes past five. At Horseferry Dock (5:22) a salute was fired, and the swimmer was encouraged with lusty cheers. The Commercial Dock was quickly left behind, and soon after the Hilda, on her return from Margate, crowded with excursionists, passed the flotilla. Passing Millwall Miss Beckwith crossed to the north side and took advantage of the strong tide. At this point she was met by the saloon steamer Victoria, whose passengers were vociferous in their applause. The Foreign Cattle Market at Deptford was breasted at twelve minutes to six, and, as Greenwich Hospital appeared in sight, the intelligence was conveyed to the swimmer by repeated cheers, a salute being also fired from the Unicorn. The pier at Greenwich and the grounds of the ship were crowded with people who cheered to the echo when the spirited strains of "See the Conquering Hero Comes" announced the success of the attempt. Miss Beckwith swam some distance beyond the pier, and was taken on board at 5h. 58m. 45s., having accomplished the distance, as stated above, in 1h. 7m. 45s.

She seemed almost as fresh as when she started, and to all appearance was capable of going considerably further. It is worthy of mention that this was Miss Beckwith's first essay of the sort, if we except a trial trip on Monday from Battersea to Westminster. Her nearest approach to the present feat was a swim of two and a half miles in the Lambeth Baths in three-quarters of an hour.

## HORSE NOTES.

ORIGINAL AND SELECTED.

EXCEL BROKEN DOWN.—We regret to learn that the four-year-old colt Excel, by Endors out of Nantura, has broken down, and will consequently not appear again upon the turf. Considerable interest was felt in the meetings between Excel and Big Fellow.

OUTRAGE IN WEST WILLIAMS.—One day lately some scoundrel entered the stables of Mr. Malcolm Cameron, on the 10 con., West Williams, and cut all the hair off of one of his most valuable horses' tail, besides a piece off the tail itself, and cut a good set of harness all into shreds. Being a much respected and inoffensive man, this outrage is quite unexplainable to Mr. Cameron or his many friends, and not the slightest clue has yet been got to the guilty party. It is to be hoped, however, as outrages of this character are far too frequent, that the perpetrator will be discovered and severely punished.

FOUR MILE HEAT RACE IN CALIFORNIA.—The following horses, from the East, are announced as certain to be entered for the great \$80,000 purse race of four mile heats run in San Francisco, in October next; Springbok, who goes out in charge of Harvey as trainer; Wildfire, in care of Capt. Moore, with Billy Lakeland as rider; Rutherford and Grinstead, in charge of Albert (who trained Joe Daniels and Hubbard), with Donohue to ride the former; and Ballankel, in charge of his trainer and owner, W. Jennings. Hennessy

formerly known as the Belle of Vermont, and under this name trotted her first race in Boston, making a record of 2:33, distance a fair out of the six horses that started. Last year, at a county fair in Taunton, Mass., she trotted in 2:32 over a half mile track, beating Maybe and Meta, which was her previous best record. She has trotted in 2:30 very often in private, and Mr. Snell has repeatedly refused from \$10,000 to \$15,000 for a mare.

A GOOD JOKE.—A good joke is told of a wealthy New Yorker, with an eye for a horse, who, shortly after betaking himself to his summer residence on Long Island, in April last, was sitting on his piazza one fine morning, and noticed a pair of fine stoppers that were being driven on the road in front of his house. The team consisted of a bay and a grey mare, and the driver was an unassuming, quiet, well-behaved young man. The New Yorker noticed them again on the following day, and was more than ever impressed with their fine style and graceful step, and he decided at once to buy them. Accordingly, on the next day he stationed himself at his gate, and when the team came jogging by, he signalled the driver to stop. "That's a pretty fair team you drive," says he. "Yes, they are moderately good stoppers," was the response. "Are they for sale?" asked New Yorker. "Well, yes, I would sell them," was the rather hesitating reply. "Send them along down the road and back, so that I can see how they move," says New Yorker. Up and down they went a few times, and at length the gentleman seemed satisfied, and signalled the driver to pull up. "I like them," said he. "pretty well, and will buy them if the price is not too high; what do you ask for them?" "Sixty-five thousand dollars," was the reply, very coolly given. The gentleman opened his eyes and mouth in astonishment, and Charley Green drove off with Lulu and Fleety Goldust at a 2:25 gait, leaving the old gentleman to wonder at the high price of good fair roadsters.

## EVERYTHING.

The Stratford Incess club played a game by torchlight on Wednesday night.

In a Scotch Court, recently, a witness swore to the identity of a chicken from the resemblance to its mother.

RATTLESNAKES.—Mr. D. McLachlan, of Southwold Gore, near St. Thomas, when drawing in wheat last Wednesday discovered two very large rattlesnakes under a shock. He despatched one with a pitchfork. The other escaped. The one killed had fifteen rattles.

At the Jardin d'Acclimatation, in Paris, the Seyyd of Amzar exhibited surprise at the zebra being so tame as to draw the water carts and make themselves otherwise useful. This is the first place, indeed, at which this has been accomplished.

A Boston correspondent says that the blackbirds which are usually accounted mischievous and destroyed by farmers like vermin, have destroyed millions of army worms this month in Massachusetts. They settled upon the crawling masses in clouds.

A famous cow, owned by Edward French, of Bedford, N. H., has the following record for a year, beginning May 1, 1874.—For the first hundred days a yield of 2,493 quarts; second hundred, 1,811½ quarts; third hundred, 1,898½ quarts; 65 days, 927 quarts; a total of 6,626 quarts, which weighed 7 tons, 445 pounds. For several days she yielded 29½ quarts in 24 hours, and for 75 days in succession gave more than 26 quarts. The cow weighed last week 1,600 pounds. Mr. French intends to exhibit her at the New England Fair.

A DOG SAVES TWO HUMANS.—Three boys were paddling about upon the North River, when suddenly their skiff was run down by a tug. Two of the youngsters saved their lives by clinging to the wreck, but the third, unable to swim and borne off by a rising ebb tide, was on the point of drowning when a Newfoundland dog leaped from the side of the canal boats, and swam to his rescue. He arrived in time to seize him by the collar of his coat, and held his head above the water until a boat from the shore took him on board. In the meantime a man had also leaped overboard to rescue the boy, and he in turn was in danger of drowning, when the dog swam to his rescue, and saved him. Had that dog been muzzled!

John Morrissey was attacked with cholera last Friday night, on his way from New York to Saratoga, and was obliged to be taken to Saratoga to leave the train. The physician who attended him said that two hours in such pain as he suffered would probably have killed him. He injected one and a half grains of morphine hypodermically.

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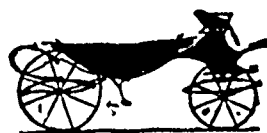
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# Swimming about a couple of yards in the rear of the referee's boat, Tunnel Pier was reached at 11 minutes past five. At Horse-ferry Dock (5:22) a salute was fired, and the swimmer was encouraged with lusty cheers. The Commercial Dock was quickly left behind, and soon after the Hilda, on her return from Margate, crowded with excursionists, passed the flotilla. Passing Millwall Miss Beckwith crossed to the north side and took advantage of the strong tide. At this point she was met by the saloon steamer Victoria, whose passengers were vociferous in their applause. The Foreign Cattle Market at Deptford was breasted at twelve minutes to six, and, as Greenwich Hospital appeared in sight, the intelligence was conveyed to the swimmer by repeated cheers, a salute being also fired from the Unicorn. The pier at Greenwich and the grounds of the ship were crowded with people who cheered to the echo when the spirited strains of "See the Conquering Hero Comes" announced the success of the attempt. Miss Beckwith swam some distance beyond the pier, and was taken on board at 5h. 58m. 45s., having accomplished the distance, as stated above, in 1h. 7m. 45s.

She seemed almost as fresh as when she started, and to all appearance was capable of going considerably further. It is worthy of mention that this was Miss Beckwith's first essay of the sort, if we except a trial trip on Monday from Battersea to Westminster. Her nearest approach to the present feat was a swim of two and a half miles in the Lambeth Baths in three-quarters of an hour.

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EXCEL BROKEN DOWN.—We regret to learn that the four-year-old colt Excel, by Endorser out of Nantua, has broken down, and will consequently not appear again upon the turf. Considerable interest was felt in the meetings between Excel and Big Fellow.

# OUTRAGE IN WEST WILLIAMS.—

One day lately some scoundrel entered the stables of Mr. Malcolm Cameron, on the 10 con., West Williams, and cut all the hair off of one of his most valuable horses' tail, besides a piece of the tail itself, and cut a good set of harness all into shreds. Being a much respected and inoffensive man, this outrage is quite unexplainable to Mr. Cameron or his many friends, and not the slightest clue has yet been got to the guilty party. It is to be hoped, however, as outrages of this character are far too frequent, that the perpetrator will be discovered and severely punished.

# FOUR MILE HEAT RACE IN CALIFORNIA.—

The following horses, from the East, are announced as certain to be entered for the great \$80,000 purse race of four mile heats run in San Francisco, in October next; Springbok, who goes out in charge of Harvey as trainer; Wildidle, in care of Capt. Moore, with Billy Lakeland as rider; Rutherford and Grinstead, in charge of Albert (who trained Joe Daniels and Hubbard), with Donohue to ride the former; and Ballankeeel, in charge of his trainer and owner, W. Jennings, Hennessy goes out to ride Katie Pease.

# GOL RICELY.—

Probably the only horse in the world which is named after an oath, is the above well-known running horse. His owner, Mr. Welsh, of Minneapolis, never swears, but when a little riled, he invariably breaks out with a fierce "Gol Ricely," etc., etc. This singular expression has become habitual to him for years. The first time he saw this colt, he broke out with, "Gol Ricely, isn't he a beauty." It sounded so comical to the party with him, that he said, "Welsh, suppose you call him Gol Ricely." Mr. Welsh was at once struck with the suggestion, and so the name was given him. The horse has honored the oath, on every occasion.

# LADY SNELL.—

The winner of the 2:31 class at Hartford, trotting in 2:28½, is worth more than a mere passing notice, as she is a mare comparatively unknown, but one that bids fair to take a front rank among the trotters of the country. She is a large, handsome bay mare, 15 hands 8 inches in height, and is owned by D. A. Snell, Esq., of New Bedford, Mass. She is 9 years old, and was sired by Godfrey's Patchen, he by Geo. M. Patchen, jr. Her dam was Lady Stevens, a three-quarter bred mare. Lady Snell was

opened his eyes a month in a stomach, and Charley Green drove off with Lula and Fieoly Goldlust at a 3:25 gait, leaving the old gentleman to wonder at the high prices of good fair roadsters.

# EVERYTHING.

The Stratford lacrosse club played a game by torchlight on Wednesday night.

In a Scotch Court, recently, a witness swore to the identity of a chicken from the resemblance to its mother.

RATTLESNAKES.—Mr. D. McLachlin, of Southwold Gore, near St. Thomas, when drawing in wheat last Wednesday discovered two very large rattlesnakes under a shock. He despatched one with a pitchfork. The other escaped. The one killed had fifteen rattles.

At the Jardin d'Acclimatation, in Paris, the Seyyid of Zanzibar exhibited surprise at the zebras being so tame as to draw the water carts and make themselves otherwise useful. This is the first place, indeed, at which this has been accomplished.

A Boston correspondent says that the blackbirds which are usually accounted mischievous and destroyed by farmers like vermin, have destroyed millions of army worms this month in Massachusetts. They settled upon the crawling masses in clouds.

A famous cow, owned by Edward French, of Bedford, N. H., has the following record for a year, beginning May 1, 1874.—For the first hundred days a yield of 2,494 quarts; second hundred, 1,811½ quarts; third hundred, 1,898½ quarts; 65 days, 927 quarts; a total of 6,026 quarts, which weighed 7 tons, 445 pounds. For several days she yielded 20½ quarts in 24 hours, and for 75 days in succession gave more than 26 quarts. The cow weighed last week 1,655 pounds. Mr. French intends to exhibit her at the New England Fair.

# A DOG SAVES TWO HUMANS.—

Three small boys were paddling about upon the North River, when suddenly their skiff was run down by a tug. Two of the youngsters saved their lives by clinging to the wreck, but the third, unable to swim and borne off by a rushing ebb tide, was on the point of drowning, when a Newfoundland dog leaped from one of the canal boats, and swam to his rescue. He arrived in time to seize him by the collar of his coat, and held his head above the water until a boat from the shore took him on board. In the meantime a man had also leaped overboard to rescue the boy, and he in turn was in danger of drowning, when the dog swam to his rescue, and saved him. Had that dog been ruzzled —!

# John Morrissey was attacked with colic last Friday night, on his way from New York to Saratoga, and was obliged at Poughkeepsie to leave the train. The physician who attended him said that two hours more of such pain as he suffered would probably have killed him. He injected one and a half drams of morphia hyperdermically into the veins of Mr. Morrissey. This brought about almost immediate relief, and cessation from pain, and the patient dozed off into a quiet slumber, which was uninterrupted for an hour. He then made complaint of a little further pain, and submitted to a second but much weaker infusion of morphia. From this moment Mr. Morrissey slept soundly for the rest of the night, remaining quite undisturbed. The next morning John was all right and took the train for Saratoga.

# HOW A GAMBLER LOST HIS POCKET-BOOK.—

A gambler in Iowa, to escape arrest, attempted to cross a river with his pocket book between his teeth. His strength, or skill, not proving adequate, he was obliged to open his mouth in order to call for help, and his pocket book, containing 1,000, went to the bottom.

# A box has been found in a water-course near Windsor Castle containing 125 false keys. It is supposed that they were to have been used in an attempt to steal the royal jewels of the Government. The keys were found to fit locks exactly. It has not yet been ascertained how the plan was baffled or how the box came to be in the place where it was found.

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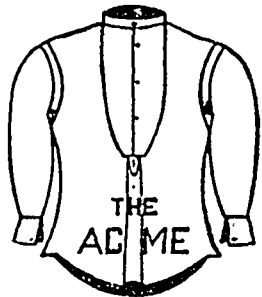
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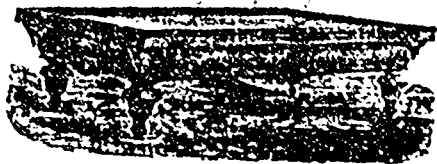
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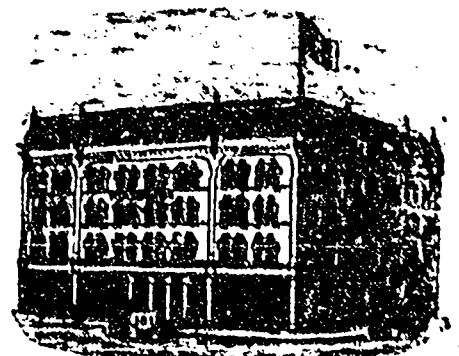
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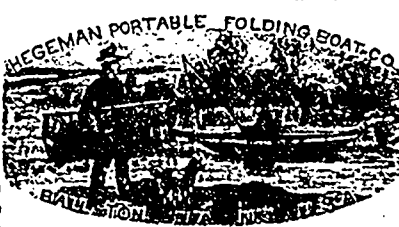
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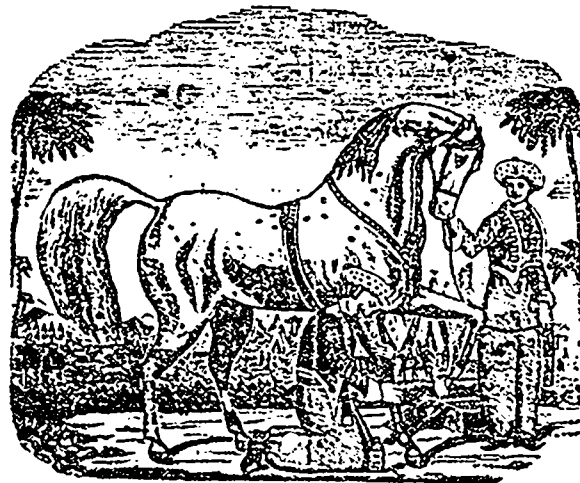


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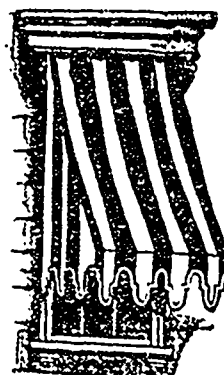
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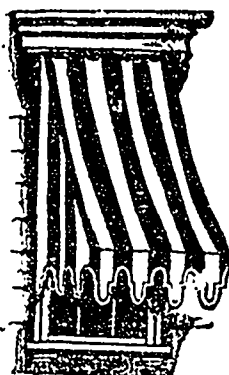
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