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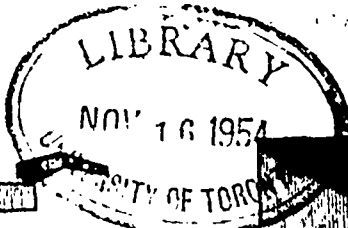
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RACING AT POINT BREZE, PHILADELPHIA.

INAUGURAL MEETING.

POINT BREZE PARK, June 24.—Inaugural sweepstakes, for all ages, \$50 each, h f, with \$500 added, of which the second receives \$100; maidens allowed, if three years, 3 lbs; if four years, 7 lbs; if five years and upwards, 12 lbs; one mile and a half.

P Lorillard's br c James A, 4 yrs, by Leamington, dam Maiden, 108 lbs..... 1
E A Claiborn's b h Piccolo, 5 yrs, by Concord, dam Maidina, 114 lbs..... 2
O Bowie's ch c Ore Knob, 4 yrs, by Dickens, dam Slipper, 108 lbs..... 3
Grinstead, Madge and Glasgow not placed.
Time—2:42.

Same Day.—Reform Club Stakes for three-year-old fillies, at \$50 each, p p, with \$500 added by the association, and \$300 by the Reform Club; the second to receive \$100, and the third to save its stake; winners of any single three-year-old stake race of the value of \$2,000 or upwards to carry 5 lbs extra; closed with twenty-three subscribers; value of stake, \$2,050; one mile and a quarter.

O Bowie's ch f Mary, by Dickens, dam My Maryland, 107 lbs..... 1
P Lorillard's b f Tigress, by Leamington, dam Bomberless, 107 lbs..... 2
A B Lewis & Co's ch f Lady Clipper, by Hunter's Lexington, dam Carrie Crosby, 107 lbs..... 3
Phoebe H, Sister of Mercy, Hattie F, Jennie F, Love and Chase not placed.
Time—2:17.

Same Day.—Purse \$500, for maidens of all ages.
J H Racey's b c Leamington H, 3 yrs, by Leamington, dam Susan Bean, 90 lbs..... 1
H Quickfall's ch g Durango, 3 yrs, by Jack Malone, dam by Albion, 87 lbs..... 2
A D Brown's b h Paladin, 5 yrs, by Leamington, dam Garland, 114 lbs..... 3
Wace, Kenny, Sangara, and Exchequer not placed.
Time—1:17.

Same Day.—Purse \$1,000, for all ages; two-mile heats.
W Coltrill's ch c General Harney, 4 yrs, by Pat Malloy, dam Yellowbird, 108 lbs..... 1
J O'Donnell's ch c Kidare, 4 yrs, by Leamington, dam by Lexington, 108 lbs..... 2
J G K Lawrence's b h Shylock, by Lexington, dam Edith, 110 lbs..... 3
Time—3:40, 3:42.

Same Day.—Hunter's Plate, \$300 in plate or money, for horses not thoroughbred; to carry 150 lbs; overweight allowed if declared; about a mile and a half over a fair hunting country.
O H Townsend's b g Rummy, aged, 151 lbs..... 1
R S Huidkeper's blk g Artaxerxes, 168 lbs..... 2
R Gardner's ch g Aubrey, 150 lbs..... 3
D Bray's br g Jackson, 154 lbs..... 0
Time—4:04.
Fell.

June 26.—Grand Exposition Stakes, for three-year-olds, at \$100 each, h f, with \$1,000 added, of which the second received \$300, the third saved its stake; winners of any single three-year-old stake race, of the value of \$3,000 or over, to carry 5 lbs extra; twenty-four subscribers; value of stake, \$2,450; one mile and a half.
W Astor's (T J Nichol's) b g Vagrant, by Virgil, dam Lazy, 110 lbs..... 1
W R Babcock's ch a Woodland, by Bessie, dam Miss Carter, 87 lbs..... 3
Madge not placed.
Time—4:37.

H P McGrath's b c Chesapeake, 4 yrs, by Lexington, dam Roxana, 108 lbs..... 2
P Lorillard's b g Shirley, 3 yrs, by Lexington, dam Miss Carter, 87 lbs..... 3
Madge not placed.
Time—4:37.

Same Day.—Purse \$550, for all ages, at walter weights; two miles, over seven hurdles; \$400 to first, 100 to second, 50 to third.

A D Brown's b h Coronet, aged, by Jonesboro' dam Oarland, 158 lbs..... 1
George Sutcliffe's ch g Bullet, aged, by Bullet, dam by Wagner, 155 lbs..... 2
M Jordan & Co's gr c Bill Munday, 4 yrs, by Rogers, dam Enquirer, 148 lbs..... 3
Stanford not placed.
Time—3:59.

June 27.—Selling sweepstakes, for three-year-olds, at \$20 each, p p, with \$400 added, the second to save his stake; horses entered to be sold for \$1,200, to carry weight for age; if to be sold for \$800, allowed 5 lbs; if for \$500, allowed 10 lbs; and if for \$300 allowed 12 lbs; one mile.

E A Claiborn's b g Cyril, by Planet, dam Fairy, \$500, 97 lbs..... 1
M McEnery's ch g Durango, by Jack Malone, dam by Albion, \$500, 97 lbs..... 2
T B & W R Davis' ch c Romney, by Civilias, dam Poll, \$500, 100 lbs..... 3
Sister of Mercy not placed.
Time—1:47.

Same Day.—Handicap sweepstakes, for all ages, \$25 each, with \$500 added, of which the second received 100; one mile and three-quarters.

J G K Lawrence's b h Shylock, aged, by Lexington, dam Edith, 110 lbs..... 1
J G Bethune's b g Burgo, 5 yrs by Hurrah, dam Emma Downing, 108 lbs..... 2
J Fletcher's ch h Hartland, aged, by Australian, dam Lucretia, 103 lbs..... 3
Mary D not placed.
No official time.

Same Day.—Purse \$600, for all ages that had not won a race since May 15, 1876, the second to receive \$100; mile heats.

D McDaniel's b c, 3 yrs, by Lexington, dam Canary Bird, 90 lbs..... 1
A D Brown's b h Paladin, 5 yrs, by Leamington, dam Garland, 114 lbs..... 2
Jos Donahue's b g Pastor, 3 yrs, by Narragansett, dam Pasta, 87 lbs..... 2
W Kane's ch c Danville, 3 yrs, by King Lear, dam Mary Minor, 90 lbs..... 4 dis
D McCarthy's ch c Glasgow, 3 yrs, by War Dance, dam by Joe Stoner, 90 lbs..... 5 dis
Time—1:53, 1:53.

Same Day.—Hunter's Cup, for all ages, at \$20 each, the Association to add \$350 in money or plate; entrance to second horse; to carry 160 lbs or more; about one mile and a half, over a fair hunting course.

A S Andrew's gr h Derby, 4 yrs, 160 lbs..... 1
D Bray's br g Jackson, aged, 160 lbs..... 2
R S Huidkeper's blk g Artaxerxes, 164 lbs..... 3
Rummy not placed.
Time—3:06.

June 28.—Consolation purse of \$400, for all horses that had run and been beaten during the meeting; \$50 to second; one mile and a quarter.

J C Bothwell's b g Burgo, 5 yrs, by Hurrah, dam Emma Downing, 111 lbs..... 1
M McEnery's ch g Durango, 3 yrs, by Jack Malone, dam by Albion, 87 lbs..... 2
D McDaniel's blk c Virginius, 3 yrs, by Virgil, dam by Lexington, 90 lbs..... 3
Jennie L, Pastor, Coupon, and Lady Clipper not placed.

TROTTING AT JACKSON, MICH.

Jackson, June 20.—Purse \$500; 3:00 class.
Wilson & Son's ch m Elsie Good, by Blue Bull..... 1 1 1
J M Grier's b g Jamesville..... 2 2 2
W W Alexander's blk g Gilt Edge..... 3 3 3
E Phippen's br g Bacenna..... 4 4 4
Time—2:43, 2:41, 2:39.

Same Day.—Purse \$500; 2:30 class.
W W Hamilton's b g Wolford Z..... 1 1 1
D P Bissell's ch g Marion..... 2 2 2
Kitzmilller & Son's ch s Hylas..... 2 3 4
White Line, S W McD, Mambrino Warner, Josephine, Calmar, Allen, Chester Thomas, Sr, Monarch Rule and Lew Scott also started.
Time—2:39, 2:37, 2:37.

June 21.—Purse \$500; 2:44 class.
Masher & Chidester's blk s Jessie G Lindell, by son of Hill's Black Hawk..... 4 6 1 1 1
Wm J Slipper's ch m Easter Maid..... 1 4 9 8 2
L J Hobart's br g Wonder..... 7 1 3 6 4
Henry G, Capt Sellick, Josie, Dan Bassett, Badger, Robert McGregor, Sweet William, Ella Wood and Lucy Day also started.
Time—2:36, 2:41, 2:37, 2:37, 2:38.

June 22.—Purse \$500; 2:50 class.
W W Alexander's blk g Gilt Edge..... 1 1 1
George E Brownell's b s George..... 2 2 2
Masher & Chidester's b g Miraculous..... 4 8 3
Bacchus, Fan, Fred Brial, Hattie Wood, Bruiser and Lady Dodge also started.
Time—2:31, 2:34, 2:36.

Same Day.—Purse \$500; 2:34 class.
D Muckle's blk m Girle, by George Wilkes..... 3 5 3 1 1 1
Fayette Smith's gr g Charlie..... 1 1 2 7 6 2
W L Beck's br s Young Wilkes..... 9 2 5 2 3 0
Deception, Russell, Judge Waite, Grey Salem and Archie Alexander also started.
Time—2:35, 2:30, 2:31, 0:00, 0:00, 2:45.

June 23.—Purse \$500; 2:40 class.
A A Rogers' ch m Belle Fair..... 1 3 7 6 4 0 1 1
Miles B Fox's b m Dady Miles 7 2 1 5 2 0 4 4
Graves & Loomis' b m Josie..... 2 2 3 1 1 3 3 3
Gloria D, Rochelle, Golden Farmer, Nellie Davis, George Randall, Grey Salem, Emerald, Beauty, Woodpecker and Banker also started.
Time—2:46, 2:48, 2:51, 2:50, 2:53, 2:53, 2:56.

Same Day.—Purse \$500; free for all.
G J Fuller's b g Frank Reeves..... 5 1 1 1 1
W B Armstrong's b g General Garfield 1 3 3 3
H C Goodrich's b g Bodine..... 3 2 4 5
J S & Ira Rowett's gr m Badger Girl..... 2 5 5 3
D Matlock's ch g Observer..... 4 4 2 4
Time—2:40, 2:41, 2:42, 2:41.

TROTTING AT GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 13 and 15.—Purse \$1,000, 2:31 class.
W H Hamilton's b g Wolford Z..... 6 3 1 1 1
D P Bissell's ch g Marion..... 1 1 2 2 2
H H Yates' b m Kate Hazard..... 2 2 4 7 5
Chester Thomas, Jr, Allen, Young Wilkes, Friday, Clifton, and Nelson, also started.
Time—2:33, 2:37, 2:34, 2:32, 2:37.
Same Day.—Purse \$—, double teams; mile heats.
J Williams' Hero and Jack..... 1 1
G W Granger's Frank and Honesty..... 2 2
M Bootham's Jim and Warden..... 3 3
Time—3:17, 3:10.

A S Hubbard's b m Lady McKinney..... 3 4 4 1 2 0 4 2
Prince Cley, Frank Kernan, Ed Brown, Dan, and Nelse also started.
Time—2:35, 2:36, 2:36, 2:35, 2:35, 2:35, 2:35.

Same Day.—Purse \$130; pacing.
R Corriester's ch g Sorrel Frank..... 2 1 1 1
Maj Monroe's b g Jack..... 1 3 2 2
W Shaffer's rn g Roan Dan..... 3 dr
Time—2:41, 2:40, 2:34, 2:39.

Same Day.—Purse \$400; 2:28 class.
J Murphy's gr m Lady H..... 1 1 1
F Thompson's b g Cattaraugus Chief..... 2 2 2
E D G Ivan's b g Sleepy Tom..... 3 3 3
J McKee's br g Frank Shaw..... 4 4 4
Time—2:35, 2:34, 2:32.

June 22.—Purse \$300; 2:45 class.
S Burnside's b g Duster..... 9 3 1 1 1
W H Burgett's b g Billy Bolden..... 2 1 7 3 2
E D Gallivan's ch g Dan..... 1 8 6 2 8
Blanche Arthurs, Mattie, Charlie, Truesdell, Lillie Pierce, Sorrel Fred, and Kiser also started.
Time—2:41, 2:36, 2:39, 2:35, 2:37.

Same Day.—Purse \$100; running, half-mile heats.
J Colston's b f Gilder Rose..... 2 1 1
J Emory's b s Barrister..... 1 2 2
Erin go-Braugh, Annie, and John also started.
Time—5:1, 5:1, 5:1.

Same Day.—Purse \$500; free for all.
P G White's b m Nellie Irwin, by Mid-dletown..... 1 2 1 1
D Van Scooter's rn mare Blue Mare..... 2 1 5 2
W B Hunt's wh g White Cloud..... 5 3 2 4
E Thompson's ch g Cattaraugus Chief..... 3 5 3 3
J Murphy's gr m Lady H..... 4 4 4 5
Time—2:25, 2:27, 2:28, 2:28.

LONG BRANCH RACES.

MOXMOU PARK, Long Branch, July 1.—Trial Purse, \$300, for all ages, dash of a mile; entrance money to second and third horses.
J A Grinstead's b c Mettle, by Melbourne, Jr, dam by Eclipse, 3 yrs, 102 lbs..... 1
G L Lorillard's b c Leander, by Enquirer, dam by Bonnie Scotland, 4 yrs, 118 lbs..... 2
J Donahue's ch h Spindrift, by Bonnie Scotland, dam by Wagner, aged, 124 lbs..... 3
Milton also started.
Time—1:47.

Purse \$500, for all ages; entrance money to second and third horses. Mile heats.
Thos Puryear & Co's ch c Meo, by Narragansett, dam Julietta, 4 yrs, 108 lbs..... 1
P Lorillard's b c James, by Leamington, dam Maiden, 4 yrs, 118 lbs..... 2
W R Babcock's ch h Egypt, by Planet, dam Lady Barry, 5 yrs, 114 lbs..... 3
Time—1:46, 1:49.

The Jersey Derby Stakes—Value \$1,500, added to a sweepstakes of \$20 each, play or pay, for colts and fillies, foals of 1873; the second horse to receive \$200 and the third \$100 out of the stakes. One and a half miles. Closed with 44 nominations.
A Belmont's b c Bertram, by Kentucky, dam imp Bernice..... 1
A Belmont's br c Fiddlesticks, by Lexington, dam Fillagree..... 2
Thos W Dorwell's ch c Rappahannock, by King Lear, dam Fannie Washington..... 3
Fugitive also started.

RACING AT CHICAGO.

DEER PARK, Chicago, June 30.—\$200. Dash of 1 1/2 miles. \$150, 50.
Mr Hobbethwait, ch h Douglas, 4 yrs, by imp Hurrah, dam Valentine, 108 lbs..... 1
J Forbes, ch h Vicksburg, 4 yrs, by Vandal, dam Blondin, 108 lbs..... 2
J Hunter, ch f Tapioca, 4 yrs, by Macaroni, dam Glengourie, 105 lbs..... 3
Canada, Falmouth, Bob Woolley, ch f by Marion, Jack Hardy and ch f by Bonnie Scotland also started.
Time—2:11.

Same Day.—Stake Race for 3 year olds. \$50 entrance, p p; \$300 added. Mile heats.
P M West, ch c Preston, by Planet, dam Miss Morgan, 100 lbs..... 1 1
A Hankins, b c The Nipper, by Phaeton, dam Annetta, 100 lbs..... 3 2
S M Lilly, b f by Phaeton, dam Capitola, 97 lbs..... 5 3
Springfield, Maggie and Bonnie Bell also started.
Time—1:47, 1:47.

Same Day.—\$500. Hurdle Race. Dash of two miles over eight hurdles.
M Welch, b g Capt Hutchinson, aged, by Vounner, dam by Zero, 140 lbs..... 1
H Van Liew, ch h Pompey Smash, aged, by Uncle Vic, dam by Bonnie Liddle, 143 lbs 2
E Harrison, ch h Bed Cloud, aged, by Tom Teddy, 143 lbs..... 3
S H Jones, ch h Larkin, aged, by Larkin, dam Ball Betty, 143 lbs..... Dederick 4
Time—4:02.

TROTTING AT BUFFALO, N.Y.

BUFFALO, June 24.—Purse \$100.
J Horter's b s Joe Warron..... 2 1 1 1
W Shimmer's b m Katy..... 1 4 2 3
F T Hetzel's b g Schocca..... 3 2 2 3
A Riem's ch s F A Cook..... 4 3 4 4
Time—2:44, 2:46, 2:42, 2:53.

Quoiting.

QUOITING TOURNAMENT.

A quoiting tournament was held in the Mutual street grounds on Friday. The competition was open to the Dominion. There were fifteen entries, but only the following competed:—John Brow, Galt; Richard Sylvester and James Allen, Wexford; George Sheppard, L'Amour; Simon Kennedy, Hagerman; Simpson Ronnie, Milliken; David Lawson, Leslie; James Patton, Danforth; William Brotherton, Norway; John Rippon, Robert Keith, W. A. Wilkes, and James Bennis, of this city. The scoring was as follows:—

FIRST DRAW.

Wm Brotherton	31	David Lawson	14
Geo Sheppard	31	Richard Sylvester	14
Simon Kennedy	31	John Brow	20
John Rippon	31	Robert Keith	8
James Patton	31	James Bennis	26
Simpson Ronnie	31	W A Wilkes	16

James Allen drew the bye.

SECOND DRAW.

Wm Brotherton	31	James Allan	12
George Sheppard	31	Simon Kennedy	28
James Patton	31	John Rippon	19

Simpson Ronnie drew the bye.

THIRD DRAW.

Wm Brotherton	31	John Rippon	19
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Grinstead, Madge and Glasgow not placed.
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O Bowie's ch f Mary, by Dickons, dam My Maryland, 107 lbs..... 1
P Lorillard's b t Tigress, by Leamington, dam Remorseless, 107 lbs..... 2
A B Lewis & Co's ch f Lady Clipper, by Hunter's Lexington, dam Carrie Crosby, 107 lbs..... 3
Phoebe H, Sister of Mercy, Hattie F, Jennie F, Love and Chasenot placed.
Time—2:17.

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J H Racey's b c Leamington H, 8 yrs, by Leamington, dam Susan Bean, 90 lbs.... 1
H Quickfall's ch g Durango, 8 yrs, by Jack Malone, dam by Albion, 87 lbs..... 2
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Wace, Kenny, Sangara, and Exchequer not placed.
Time—1:17½.

Same Day.—Purse \$1,000, for all ages; two-mile heats.
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J O'Donnell's ch c Kildare, 4 yrs, by Leamington, dam by Lexington, 108 lbs..... 3
J G K Lawrence's b h Shylock, by Lexington, dam Edith, 118 lbs..... 2
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B Gardner's ch g Aubrey, 150 lbs..... 3
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W Astor's (T J Nichol's) b g Vagrant, by Virgil, dam Lazy, 110 lbs..... 1
W R Babcock's ch c Woodland, by Brown Dick, dam Woodbine, 110 lbs..... 2
D McDaniel's blk c Virginus, by Virgil, dam Lute, 110 lbs..... 3
Fugitive and Coupon not placed.
Time—2:42½.

Same Day.—Leamington Stakes, for two-year-olds, at \$50 each, h f, with \$500 added by the Association, and \$200 extra by Mr A Welch, the owner of Leamington, if the winner is a son or daughter of that horse; twenty subs; value of stakes, \$1,600; half-mile.
H P McGrath's br c Leonard, by Longfellow, dam Collen Bawn, 100 lbs..... 1
P Lorillard's b g Darnley, by Asteroid, dam Jennie H, 97 lbs..... 2
P Lorillard's br c Diamond, by Leamington, dam Black Slave, 100 lbs..... 3
Adonis; Virgil colt, dam Nannie Butler; Docility; Vauxhall filly, dam Mary Watson; and Lexington filly, dam Canary Bird, not placed.
Time—5:0½.

Same Day.—Philadelphia Club Cup; sweepstakes, for all ages, at \$50 each; p p, the Association to add \$1,000 and the Philadelphia Club \$500 extra, of which the second received \$200, and the third \$100; the winner of any cup stake in 1876 to carry 5 lbs extra; two miles and a half.
E A Clabaugh's ch c Viator, 4 yrs, by Vauxhall, dam Heatherball, 108 lbs..... 1

to first, 100 to second, 50 to third.

A D Brown's b h Coronet, aged, by Jonesboro, dam Oarland, 159 lbs..... 1
George Sutcliffe's ch g Bullet, aged, by Bulletin, dam by Wagon, 165 lbs..... 2
M Jordan & Co's gr c Bill Munday, 4 yrs, by Rogers, dam Enquirer, 149 lbs..... 3
Stanford not placed.
Time—3:59½.

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E A Clabaugh's b g Cyril, by Planet, dam Fairy, \$500, 97 lbs..... 1
M McEnery's ch g Durango, by Jack Malone, dam by Albion, \$500, 97 lbs..... 2
T B & W R Davis' ch c Romney, by Civilies, dam Poll, \$500, 100 lbs..... 3
Sister of Mercy not placed.
Time—1:47.

Same Day.—Handicap sweepstakes, for all ages, \$25 each, with \$500 added, of which the second received 100; one mile and three-quarters.
J G K Lawrence's b h Shylock, aged, by Lexington, dam Edith, 110 lbs..... 1
J G Bethune's b g Burgoe, 5 yrs by Hurrah, dam Emma Downing, 108 lbs..... 2
J Fletcher's ch h Hartland, aged, by Australian, dam Lucretia, 103 lbs..... 3
Mary D not placed.
No official time.

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A D Brown's b h Paladin, 5 yrs, by Leamington, dam Garland, 114 lbs..... 3
Jos Donahue's b g Pastor, 3 yrs, by Narragansett, dam Pasta, 87 lbs..... 2
W Kane's ch c Danville, 3 yrs, by King Lear, dam Mary Minor, 90 lbs..... 4 dis
D McCarthy's ch c Glasgow, 3 yrs, by War Dance, dam by Joe Stoner, 90 lbs..... 5 dis
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A S Andrew's gr h Derby, 4 yrs, 160 lbs.... 1
D Bray's br g Jackson, aged, 160 lbs..... 2
B S Huidekeper's blk g Artaxerxes, 164½ lbs.. 3
Rummy not placed.
Time—3:06.

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M McEnery's ch g Durango, 3 yrs, by Jack Malone, dam by Albion, 87 lbs..... 2
D McDaniel's blk c Virginus, 3 yrs, by Virgil, dam by Lexington, 90 lbs..... 3
Jennie L, Pastor, Coupon, and Lady Clipper not placed.
Time—2:15½.

Same Day.—Purse \$1,600 for all ages; second to receive ten per cent of the gate money; three mile heats.
H P McGrath's b c Chesapeake, 4 yrs, by Lexington, dam Boxana, 108 lbs..... 1
W Cottrill's b h Colonel Nelligan, 5 yrs, by Harry of the West, dam Ernestine, 114 lbs..... 2
J O'Donnell's ch c Kildare, 4 yrs, by Leamington, dam by Lexington, 108 lbs..... 3 dis
J G K Lawrence's b h Shylock, aged, by Lexington, dam Edith, 118 lbs..... dis
Time—5:41½, 5:52½.

Same Day.—Match \$500; one mile dash.
M Jordan & Co's ch g Gath, 3 yrs, by Planet, dam Bay Flower, 107 lbs, received forfeit
M McEnery's ch g Durango, 3 yrs, by Jack Malone, dam by imp Albion, 107 lbs, paid forfeit.

Same Day.—Purse \$700, a steeplechase for all ages at welter weights; regular course.
A D Brown's b h Coronet, aged, by Jonesboro, dam Garland, 158 lbs..... 1
Geo Sutcliffe's ch g Bullet, aged, by Bulletin, dam by Wagon, 165 lbs..... 2
Joseph Donahue's b h Stanford, aged, by Bay Dick, dam by imp Seythian, 168 lbs..... 3
No time.

Time—2:43½, 2:41½, 2:39½.

Same Day.—Purse \$500; 2:30 class.
W W Hamilton's b g Wolford Z..... 1 1 1
D P Bissell's ch g Marion..... 6 3 2
Kitzmiller & Son's ch a Hylas..... 2 3 4
White Line, S W Mod, Mambrino Warner, Josephino, Calmar, Allen, Chester Thomas, Sr, Monarch Rule and Low Scott also started.
Time—2:39½, 2:37½, 2:37½.

June 21.—Purse \$500; 2:44 class.
Mosher & Chidester's blk s Jessie G Lindell, by son of Hill's Black Hawk..... 4 6 1 1 1
Wm J Slipper's ch m Easter Maid.. 1 4 9 8 2
L J Hobart's br g Wonder..... 7 1 8 6 4
Henry G, Capt Sellick, Josie, Dan Bassett, Badger, Robert McGregor, Sweet William, Ella Wood and Lucy Day also started.
Time—2:36½, 2:41½, 2:37½, 2:37½, 2:38½.

June 22.—Purse \$500; 2:50 class.
W W Alexander's blk g Gilt Edge..... 1 1 1
George E Brownell's b s George..... 2 2 2
Mosher & Chidester's b g Miraculous.... 4 8 3
Bacchus, Fan, Fred Brial, Hattie Wood, B'nsler and Lady Dodge also started.
Time—2:31½, 2:34, 2:36.

Same Day.—Purse \$500; 2:34 class.
D Muckle's blk m Girlie, by George Wilkes..... 3 5 3 1 1 1
Fayette Smith's gr g Charlie..... 1 1 2 7 6 2
W L Beck's br s Young Wilkes.. 9 2 5 2 2 ro
Deception, Russell, Judge Waite, Grey Salem and Archie Alexander also started.
Time—2:35, 2:30, 2:31, 0:00, 0:00, 2:45.

June 23.—Purse \$500; 2:40 class.
A A Rogers' ch m Belle Fairfield..... 1 3 7 6 4 0 1 1
Miles B Fox's b m Lady Miles 7 2 1 5 2 0 4 4
Graves & Loomis' b m Josie.. 3 2 2 1 1 8 3 3
Glora D, Rochelle, Golden Farmer, Nellie Davis, George Randall, Grey Salem, Emerald, Beauty, Woodpecker and Banker also started.
Time—2:46, 2:48½, 2:51½, 2:50½, 2:53½, 2:53½, 2:56½.

Same Day.—Purse \$500; free for all.
G J Fuller's b g Frank Beeves..... 5 1 1 1
W R Armstrong's b g General Garfield 1 3 3 3
H O Goodrich's b g Bodine..... 3 2 4 5
J S & Ira Rowett's gr m Badger Girl.. 2 5 5 3
D Matlock's ch g Observer..... 4 4 2 4
Time—2:40½, 2:41½, 2:42½, 2:41.

TROTTING AT GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

GRAND RAPIDS, June 13 and 15—Purse \$1,000, 2:31 class.
W H Hamilton's b g Wolford Z.... 6 3 1 1 1
D P Bissell's ch g Marion..... 1 1 2 2 2
H H Yates' b m Kate Hazard..... 2 2 4 7 5
Chester Thomas, Jr, Allen, Young Wilkes, Friday, Clifton, and Nelson, also started.
Time—2:33, 2:37, 2:34, 2:32, 2:37.

Same Day.—Purse \$—, double teams; mile heats.
J Williams' Hero and Jack..... 1 1
G W Granger's Frank and Honesty..... 2 2
M Boorham's Jim and Warden..... 3 3
Time—3:17½, 3:10½.

June 16.—Purse \$800; 2:45 class.
W J Slipper's ch m Easter Maid..... 5 1 1 1
D Shannon's ch g Kechly..... 1 2 2 3
R Smith's gr m Lady Dodge..... 2 3 3 2
Robt McGregor, Brown Nellie, Wonder, Fred Bird and Diamond, also started.
Time—2:56½, 2:52½, 2:50, 2:51½.
Same Day.—Purse \$1,000; 2:36 class.
J Drew's ch s Monroe, by Iron Duke.. 5 1 1 1
J H Williams' br g Tom Britton..... 1 4 4 5
W R Armstrong's Calmar..... 2 5 5 2
Tom Brown and Lady Byron, also started.
Time—2:47½, 2:50½, 2:48½, 2:48.

TROTTING AT PARKER CITY, PA.

Purse \$400; 2:33 class.
A S Hubbard's b m Lady McKinney..... 3 4 0 1 1 1
F Fowler's dn g Orange Billy..... 1 1 0 2 4 2
E Galivan's b g Sleepy Tom..... 2 3 4 7 2 ro
George, Mexican Tom, Frank Shaw, Perry and Josie also started.
Time—2:36, 2:35½, 2:35, 2:35½, 2:35½, 2:35.

June 21.—Purse \$350; 2:38 class.
J S Porter's b g Phil Sheridan 4 6 6 5 1 1 3 1
A Lockwood's b m Bay Fanny 0 2 1 2 4 2 1 4
W H Burget's ch m Lady Burget..... 0 1 3 7 7 0 3 3

Time—2:41, 2:40, 2:34, 2:39½.

Same Day.—Purse \$400; 2:28 class.
J Murphy's gr m Lady H..... 1 1 1
F Thompson's b g Cattaraugus Chief... 3 2 2
E D G Ivan's b g Sleepy Tom..... 3 3 8
J McKee's br g Frank Shaw..... 4 4 4
Time—2:35, 2:34½, 2:32½.

June 22.—Purse \$300; 2:45 class.
S Burnside's b g Duster..... 9 3 1 1 1
W H Burgett's b g Billy Bolden.... 2 1 7 3 2
E D Gallivan's ch g Dan..... 1 8 6 3 3
Blanche Arthurs, Mattie, Charlie, Truesdell, Lillie Pierce, Sorrel Fred, and Kiser also started.
Time—2:41½, 2:36½, 2:39, 2:35½, 2:37½.

Same Day.—Purse \$100; running, half-mile heats.
J Colston's b f Gilder Rose..... 2 1 1
J Emory's b s Barrister..... 1 2 2
Erin go-Braugh, Annie, and John also started.
Time—5½s, 5½s, 5½s.

Same Day.—Purse \$500; free for all.
P G White's b m Nellie Irwin, by Midletown..... 1 2 1 1
D Van Scoter's m mare Blue Mare.... 2 1 5 2
W B Hunt's wh g White Cloud..... 5 3 2 4
E Thompson's b g Cattaraugus Chief.. 3 5 3 3
J Murphy's gr m Lady H..... 4 4 4 5
Time—2:25½, 2:27½, 2:28½, 2:28.

LONG BRANCH RACES.

MOONMOUTH PARK, Long Branch, July 1.—Trial Purse, \$300, for all ages, dash of a mile; entrance money to second and third horses.
J A Grinstead's b c Mottle, by Melbourne, Jr, dam by Zoliphe, 3 yrs, 102 lbs..... 1
G L Lorillard's b c Leander, by Enquirer, dam by Bonnie Scotland, 4 yrs, 118 lbs.... 2
J Donahue's ch h Spindrift, by Bonnie Scotland, dam by Wagner, aged, 124 lbs..... 3
Milton also started.
Time—1:47.

Purse \$500, for all ages; entrance money to second and third horses. Mile heats.
Thos Puryear & Co's ch c Meco, by Narragansett, dam Julietta, 4 yrs, 108 lbs.. 1 1
P Lorillard's b c James, by Leamington, dam Maiden, 4 yrs, 118 lbs..... 2 2
W R Babcock's ch h Egypt, by Planet, dam Lady Barry, 6 yrs, 114 lbs..... 3 3
Time—1:45½, 1:49.

The Jersey Derby Stakes—Value \$1,500, added to a sweepstakes of \$20 each, play or pay, for colts and fillies, foals of 1873; the second horse to receive \$200 and the third \$100 out of the stakes. One and a half miles. Closed with 44 nominations.
A Belmont's b c Bertram, by Kentucky, dam imp Bernaco..... 1
A Belmont's br c Fiddlesticks, by Lexington, dam Fillagree..... 2
Thomas W Doswell's ch c Rappahanock, by King Lear, dam Fannie Washington..... 3
Fugitive also started.
Time—2:44½.

Long Branch National Steeplechase, for all ages; about three miles, over a fair hunting course; welter weights. Purse \$600; \$450 to first, 100 to second, 50 to third.
A D Brown's b h Coronet, by Jonesboro, dam Garland, aged, 156 lbs..... 1
W Cottrill's br h Colonel Nelligan, by Harry of the West, dam Emeline, 5 yrs, 152 lbs.. 2
Dr Dyck's gr h Derby, by Eugene, dam by Engineer, 5 yrs, 152 lbs..... 3
Busy Bee and Weasel also started.
Time—5:57.

TROTTING AT GARDNER, ME.

GARDNER, June 22.—Purse \$100; 3:00 class.
W P Allen's b g Billy..... 1 1 3 1
C H Shattuck's gr g Gray Harry..... 4 4 1 3
B K Williams' gr g Jimmy Gray..... 2 2 2 2
Pilgrim, Shepherd Boy and Major K also started.
Time—2:50, 2:51, 2:51, 2:50.

Same Day.—Purse \$100; 2:50 class.
N T Dore's b g Bay Billy..... 5 1 1 1
C G Edson's ch g Jimmy..... 1 2 2 2
Lizzie Drake, Canada, Kate Wallace and Lady Russell also started.
Time—2:50, 2:44, 2:44, 2:45.

Time—3:11½.

Same Day.—Stake Race for 3 year olds. \$50 entrance, p p; \$300 added. Mile heats.
P M West, ch c Preston, by Planet, dam Miss Morgan, 100 lbs..... 1 1
A Hankins, b c The Nipper, by Phaeton, dam Annotta, 100 lbs..... 3 2
S M Lilly, b f by Phaeton, dam Capitola, 97 lbs..... 6 6
Springfield, Maggio and Bonnie Ball also started.
Time—1:47½, 1:47½.

Same Day.—\$500. Hurdle Race. Dash of two miles over eight hurdles.
M Welch, b g Capt Hutchinson, aged, by Vouner, dam by Zero, 140 lbs..... 1
H Van Liew, ch h Pompey Smash, aged, by Uncle Vic, dam by Bonnie Laddie, 148 lbs 2
E Harrison, ch h Red Cloud, aged, by Tom Reddy, 143 lbs..... 3
S H Jones, ch h Larkin, aged, by Larkin, dam Ball Betty, 143 lbs..... Dederick 4
Time—1:03½.

TROTTING AT BUFFALO, N.Y.

BUFFALO, June 24.—Purse \$100.
J Horter's b s Joe Warren..... 2 1 1 1
W Shimmer's b m Katy..... 1 4 2 2
F T Hetzel's b g Schoeca..... 3 2 3 3
A Riem's ch s F A Cock..... 4 3 4 4
Time—2:44, 2:46½, 2:42½, 2:43.

Quoting.

QUOTING TOURNAMENT.

A quoting tournament was held in the Mutual street grounds on Friday. The competition was open to the Dominion. There were fifteen entries, but only the following competed:—John Brow, Galt; Richard Sylvester and James Allen, Wexford; George Sheppard, L'Amaronx; Simon Kennedy, Hagerman; Simpson Rennie, Milliken; David Lawson, Leslie; James Patton, Danforth; William Brotherton, Norway; John Rippon, Robert Keith, W. A. Wilkes, and James Rennie, of this city. The scoring was as follows:—

FIRST DRAW.
Wm Brotherton.. 31 David Lawson.... 14
Geo. Sheppard... 31 Richard Sylvester.. 14
Simon Kennedy.. 31 John Brow..... 30
John Rippon..... 31 Robert Keith..... 8
James Patton... 31 James Rennie.... 26
Simpson Rennie.. 31 W A Wilkes..... 16
James Allen drew the bye.

SECOND DRAW.
Wm Brotherton.. 31 James Allan..... 12
George Sheppard.. 31 Simon Kennedy.... 33
James Patton... 31 John Rippon..... 19
Simpson Rennie drew the bye.

THIRD DRAW.
Simpson Rennie.. 31 James Patton..... 20
George Sheppard.. 41 Wm Brotherton.. 18

FIRST AND SECOND PRIZES.
Simpson Rennie.. 31 George Sheppard.. 30

THIRD AND FOURTH PRIZES.
James Patton.... 31 Wm Brotherton.. 23

FIRST DRAW FOR FIFTH PRIZE.
John Rippon.... 31 James Allen..... 21
Simon Kennedy drew the bye.

FIFTH PRIZE.
Simon Kennedy.. 31 John Rippon..... 21

Mr. W. D. McIntosh, President of the Caledonian Skating and Curling Club, officiating as umpire, declared the following result:—1st prize, by Mr. John Kelly, Commercial Hotel, cash \$10, won by Simpson Rennie, Milliken; 2nd prize, by the Directors of the Caledonian Skating and Curling Club, of Toronto, cash \$8, won by George Sheppard, L'Amaronx; 3rd prize, by Mr. William Rennie, Agricultural Warehouse and Seed Store, a pair of steel quoits (16 lbs) valued at \$6, won by James Patton, Danforth; 4th prize, by Messrs. Thomas Thompson & Son, Marmoth House, gold studs and solitaires valued at \$4, won by William Brotherton, Norway; 5th prize, by Messrs. John Ritchie & Son, plumbers, &c., cash \$2, won by Simon Kennedy, Hagerman.

The tournament competition was governed by the rules of the Caledonian Quoting Club.

THE BLACK MARE.

A Story of Punchestown Races.

CHAPTER XXIX.

UNDIVIDED.

(Continued.)

"About to-morrow, now," said Bill. "I've got Martingale to do my orderly. Are you game for a day with the stag?"

"Will a duck swim?" was the answer. "Norah is coming too. I shall mount her on Boneen, he's own brother to the little horse that beat our mare at Punchestown."

"Couldn't do better in that country," asserted his friend. "He'll carry her like a bird, if she'll waken him up a bit, and it's simply impossible to get him down. By Jove, Daisy, there's St. Josephs going into the Club. How seedy he looks, and how old! Hang me, if I won't offer him a mount to-morrow. I wonder if he'll come?"

So this kind-hearted young sportsman, in whose opinion a day's hunting was the panacea for all ills, mental or bodily, followed his senior into the morning-room, and professed his best horse, with the winning streakness of manner that his friends found it impossible to resist.

"He's good enough to carry the Commander-in-Chief," said Bill. "I've more than I can ride till I get my long leave. I should be so proud if you'd have a day on him; and if he makes a mistake, I'll give him to you. There!"

St. Josephs was now on the eve of departure for the employment he had solicited. While his outfit was preparing, the time hung heavy on his hands, and he had done so many kindnesses by this young subaltern that he felt it would be only graceful and friendly to accept a favor in return, so he assented willingly, and Bill's face glowed with pleasure.

"Don't be late, said he. "Nine o'clock train from Euston. Mind you get into the drop-carriage, or they'll take you on to the Shires. I'll join you at Willesden. And if we don't have a real clunker, I'll make a vow never to go hunting again."

Then he departed on certain errands of his own connected with the pugilistic art, and the General reflected sadly how it was a quarter of a century since he used to feel as keen as that reckless light-hearted boy.

He waited on high authorities at the War-office, dined with the field-marshal, and, through a restless night, dreamed of Satanella, for the first time since her disappearance.

A foggy November morning, and a lame horse in the cab that took him to Euston Station did not serve to raise his spirits. But for Bill's anticipations of "a clinker," and the disappointment he knew it would cause that enthusiasm, the General might have turned back to spend one more day in vain brooding and regret. Arrived on the platform, however, he got into a large saloon-carriage, according to directions, and found himself at once in the midst of so cheerful a party that he felt it impossible to resist the fun and merriment of the hour.

St. Josephs was too well known in general society not to find acquaintances even here, though he was hardly prepared to meet representatives of so many pursuits and professions, booted and spurred for the chase, and judging by the ceaseless banter they interchanged,

"All determined to ride, each resolved to be first."

Soldiers, sailors, diplomatists, bankers, lawyers, artists, authors, men of pleasure, and men of business, holding daily papers they never looked at, were all talking across each other, and laughing incessantly, while enthroned at one end of the carriage sat the best sportsman and most popular member of the assemblage, whose opinions, like his horses, carried great weight, and were of as unflinching a nature as his riding, so that he was esteemed a sort of president in jock-boots. Opposite him was placed pretty Irish Norah, now Mrs. Walters, intensely excited by her first appearance at what she called "an English hunt," while she imparted to Daisy, in a mellower brogue than usual, very original ideas on things in general, and especially on the country through which they were now flying at the rate of forty miles an hour.

"It's like a garden where it's in tillage, and a croquet-lawn where it's in pasture," said Norah, after a gracious recognition of the General, and cordial greeting to Bill, who was bundled in at Willesden, panting, with his spurs in his hand. "Ah! now, Daisy, the little of the whip near Boneen will be

where ladies were concerned. "A wise horse that knows its rider is everything in the Vale."

Norah looked into the speaker's dark eyes with a quaint smile.

"Ah, then! if the horse wasn't wiser than the rider," said she, "it's not many leaps any of us would take without a fall!" and in the laughter provoked by this incontestable assertion, a slight jerk announced that their carriage was detached from the train, and they had arrived.

Though it requires a long time to settle a lady in the saddle for hunting, even when in the regular swing of twice or thrice a week, and though Norah was about to enjoy her first gallop of the season in a new habit, on a new horse, she and Daisy had ample leisure for a sober ride to the place of meeting, arriving cool and calm, pleased with the weather, the scenery, the company, and, above all delighted with Boneen.

They were accompanied by the General on a first-class hunter belonging to Bill, and soon overtaken by its owner, who, having lingered behind to jump a four-year-old over a tomping stile for educational purposes, had crushed a new hat, besides daubing his coat in the process.

"Down already?" said St. Josephs. "What happened to him? What did he do?"

"Rapped very hard," answered Bill; "found his friend at home, and went in without waiting to be announced;" but he patted the young pupil on its neck, and promised to teach it the trade before Christmas, nevertheless. Certainly, if practice makes perfect, no man should have possessed a stud of cleverer fencers than Soldier Bill.

And now, as she reached the summit of a grassy ascent, there broke on Norah's vision so extensive and beautiful a landscape as elicited an exclamation of amazement and delight.

Mile after mile, to the dim grey horizon stretched a sweep of smooth wide pastures, intersected by massive hedges, not yet bare of their summer luxuriance, dotted by lofty standard trees, rich in the gaudy hues of autumn, lit up by flashes of a winding stream that gleamed here and there under the willows with which its banks were fringed. Enclosures varying from fifty to a hundred acres, gave promise of as much gallantry as the heart of man, or even woman could desire. And scanning those fences the Irish lady admitted to herself, though not to her companions, that from a distance they looked as formidable obstacles as any she had confronted in Kildare.

"It's beautiful," said Norah. "It's made on purpose for a hunt. Look, Daisy, there's the hounds! Oh, the darlings! And little Boneen, he sees them, too!"

Gathered round their huntsman, a wiry, sporting looking man on thoroughbred bay horse, they were moving into sight from behind a hay-stack that stood in a corner of the neighboring field. Rich in color, beautiful in shape, and with a family likeness pervading the lot as if they were all one litter, a fox-hunter would have grudging them for the game they were about to pursue—a noble red deer, in so far fame, that he was fed in the paddock, and brought to a condition that could tax the speed and endurance even of this famous pack. The animal had already arrived in a large van on wheels, drawn by pair of horses, and surrounded by a levee of gaping rustics, whose eagerness and love for the sport reminded Norah of her countrymen on the other side of the Channel.

"Will they let him out here, Daisy?" said she, in accents of trembling excitement. "I wish they'd begin. What are we waiting for?"

"Your patience will not be tried much longer," said the General, lighting a cigar. "Here comes the master, at a pace as if the mare that landed him the Thousand Guineas, the Oaks, and the St. Leger, had been made a cover-back for the occasion!"

"With the Derby-winner of the same year, for second horse!" added her husband. "If you want a pilot, Norah, you couldn't do better than stick to him, heavy as he is!"

"I mean to follow you, sir," was the rejoinder. "If you don't mind Daisy, maybe I'll be before ye."

Even while she spoke a stir throughout the whole cavalcade, and a smothered shout from the foot-people announced that the deer had been enlarged.

With a wild leap in the air, as though rejoicing in its recovered liberty, the animal started off at speed, but in the least favorable direction it could have taken, heading towards the ascent on the side of which the horsemen and a few carriages were drawn up. Then slackening its pace to a jerking, springing trot—paused—changed its mind—lowered its head—dashed wildly down the hill to disappear through a high bull-finch, and after a few seconds came again into view, travelling swift and straight across the vale. The General smoked quietly, but his eye brightened, and he seemed ten years younger for the sight.

"It's all right now," said he; "the sooner they lay them on the better."

place under a tree, the General sailing fairly over all, and Bill, unable to resist the temptation of a gap, made up with four strong rails, getting to the right side with a scramble, that wanted very little of a nasty fall.

The hounds were already a quarter of a mile ahead with nobody near them but a lady on a black hunter, who was well alongside, going, to all appearance, perfectly at her ease; while her groom, on a chestnut horse, left hopelessly behind, rode in the wake of the General, and wished he was at home.

Daisy, whose steeple-chasing experience had taught him never to lose his head, was the only one of our party who did not feel a little bewildered by the pace. Taking in everything at a glance, he observed the black hunter in front sail easily over a fence that few horses would have looked at. There was no mistaking the style and form of the animal. "Of course it is!" he muttered. "Satanella, by all that's inexplicable! We shall not catch them at this pace, however!" Then, pulling his horse to let his wife come up, he shouted in her ear, "Norah, that's Miss Douglas!"

Whether she heard him or not, the only answer Mrs. Walters vouchsafed was to lean back in her saddle and give Boneen a refresher with the whip.

Unlike a fox, whose reasons are logical and well-considered, a deer will sometimes turn at right angles for no conceivable cause, pursuing the new line with as much speed and decision as the old.

In the present instance the animal, after leaping a high thorn fence with two ditches, broke short off in a lateral direction, under the very shadow of the hedge it had just cleared, and, at the pace they were going, the hounds, as a natural consequence, overran the scent.

Miss Douglas pulled up her horse, and did not interfere. There being, fortunately, no one to assist them, they flung themselves beautifully, swinging back to the line and taking it up again with scarcely the loss of a minute. The President, two fields off, struggling hard to get nearer, was perhaps the only man who sufficiently appreciated their steadiness. Like Coleridge's Ancient Mariner, "he blessed them unawares." Bill, I fear, did the other thing, for the fence was so high he never saw them turn, and jumped well into their midst, happily without doing any damage.

This slight delay, however, had the effect of bringing Daisy, his wife, Soldier Bill, and the General into the same field with Miss Douglas. She heard the footfall of their horses, looked round, and set the black mare going faster than before. If, as indeed seemed probable, she was resolved not to be overtaken, the pack, streaming away at speed once more, served her purpose admirably. No horse alive could catch them; and Satanella herself seemed doing her best to keep on tolerable terms at that terrific pace. The majority of the field had already been hopelessly distanced. The General found even the superior animal he rode fall somewhat in the deep-holding meadows. Bill was in difficulties, although he had religiously adhered to the shortest way. Even Daisy began to wish for a pull, and only little Boneen, quite thorough-bred, and as good as he was sluggish, seemed to keep galloping on, strong and full of running as at the start. For more than a mile our friends proceeded with but a slight alteration in their relative positions—Satanella, perhaps, gradually leaving her followers, and the hounds drawing away from all five. In this order two or three flying fences were negotiated, and a fair brook cleared. Daisy, looking back in some anxiety, could not but admire the form in which Norah roused and handled Boneen. That good little horse; bred and trained in Ireland, seemed to combine the activity of a cat with the sagacious instincts of a dog. Like all his blood, he only left off being lazy when his companions began to feel tired; and Mrs. Walters, coming up with her husband, as they rose the hill from the waterside, declared, though he did not hear her, "I could lead the hunt now, Daisy, if you'd let me. Little Boneen's as plased as Punch! He'd like to pull hard, only he's such a good boy he doesn't know how!"

Bill's horse dropped its hind legs in the brook, and fell, but was soon up again with its rider. The General got over successfully; nevertheless, his weight was beginning to tell, and the ground being now on the ascent, he found himself the last of the five people with the hounds.

At the crest of the hill frowned a black, forbidding-looking bull-finch: on this side a strong rail; on the other, if a horse ever got there, the uncertainty, which might or might not, culminate in a rattling fall. Daisy glanced anxiously to right and left, on his wife's behalf, but there was no forgiveness. They must have it, or go home! Then he watched how the famous black mare would acquit herself a hundred yards ahead of him, and felt little reassured to detect such a struggle in the air while she topped the fence, as by no means inferred a pleasant landing where she disappeared on its far side.

light as a fairy, Daisy, I'm sure I heard him laugh!"

Mrs. Walters, like most of her nation, abounded in enthusiasm. She could not forbear a little cry of delight at the panorama that opened before her, when she had effected the above-mentioned feat. To the very horizon lay stretched a magnificent vale of pasture, brightened by the slanting rays of a November sun. Far ahead, fleeting across the level below, sped a dark object, she recognised for the deer; a field nearer were the hounds, running their hardest, in a string that showed they too had caught sight of their game. Half-way down the hill she was herself descending, the other lady was urging the black mare to head-long speed, very dangerous on such a steep incline. Fifty yards behind Satanella, came Daisy, and close on his heels, Norah, wild with delight, feeling a strong inclination to give Boneen his head, and go by them all. The little horse, however, watched his stable-companion narrowly, while his rider's eyes were riveted on the hounds. Suddenly she felt him shorten his stride and stop, with a jerk, that nearly shot her out of the saddle. Glancing at Daisy, for an explanation, she screamed aloud, and covered her face with her hands.

When she looked again, she was aware of her husband's horse staring wildly about with the bridle over its head; of Daisy himself on foot, and, a few yards off, the good black mare prostrate, motionless, rolled up in a confused and hideous mass with her hapless rider.

Down hill, at racing pace, Satanella had put her fore-feet through a covered drain, with the inevitable result—the surface gave way, letting her in to the shoulders, and a few yards farther on, she lay across her mistress, with her neck broken, never to stir those strong, fleet limbs again.

"Oh! Daisy, they're both killed!" whispered Norah, with a drawn, white face, while her husband, busying himself to undo the girths, and thus extricate that limp, helpless figure from beneath the weight that crushed it sorely, shouted for assistance to Soldier Bill and the General, who at that moment entered the field together.

"I trust in heaven, not!" he replied aloud; and, below his breath, even while his hand smote him for the thought, "It might have been worse. My darling, it might have been you!"

CHAPTER XXX.

THE BITTER END.

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The room was very dark. He stole softly to her bedside, and felt his fingers clasped in the familiar clinging touch once more.

Her voice came, very weak and low. "The poor mare!" she said; "is she much hurt? It was no fault of hers."

He must have answered, and told her the truth without knowing it; for she proceeded more feebly than before.

"Both of us! Then it's no use. I was going to give her to you, dear, and ask you to take care of her for my sake. Have you—have you forgiven?"

"Forgiven!" His failing accents were even less steady than her own.

"I vexed you dreadfully," she continued. "I was not good enough for you. I see it all; and if it could come again, I would never leave you—never! But I did it for the best. I took great pains to hide myself away down here; but I'm glad. Yes, I'm very glad you found me out at last. How dark it is! Don't let go my hand. Kiss me, my own! I know now that I did love you dearly—far better than I thought."

The feeble grasp tightened, stronger, stronger yet. The shadows fell, the night came down, and a pale moon threw its ghostly light into the chamber. But the face he loved was fixed and gray now, the hand he still clasped was stiff and cold in death.

The General carried to India a less sore heart, perhaps, than he had expected. There was no room left for the gnawing anxiety, the bitter sense of humiliation, the persistent struggle against self, that distressed and troubled him in his previous relations with her he had loved so dearly, and lost so cruelly even in the hour she became his own. He was grave and silent, no doubt, in feelings and appearance, many years beyond his real age; but every fresh grey hair, every additional symptom of decay, seemed only a milestone nearer home. Without speculating much on its locality, he cherished an ardent hope that soon he might follow to the place where she had gone before. None should come between them there, he thought, and they need never part again.

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...to accept his return, so he seated willingly, and Bill's face glowed with pleasure.

"Don't be late," said he. "Nine o'clock train from Euston. Mind you get into the drop-carriage, or they'll take you on to the shores. I'll join you at Willesden. And if we don't have a real clunker, I'll make a vow never to go hunting again."

Then he departed on certain errands of his own connected with the pugilistic art, and the General reflected sadly how it was a quarter of a century since he used to feel as keen as that reckless light-hearted boy.

He went on high authorities at the War-office, and with the field marshal, and, through a restless night, dreamed of Satanella, for the first time since her disappearance.

A foggy November morning, and a lame horse in the cab that took him to Euston Station did not serve to raise his spirits. But for Bill's anticipations of "a clunker," and the disappointment he knew it would cause that enthusiasm, the General might have turned back to spend one more day in vain brooding and regret. Arrived on the platform, however, he got into a large saloon carriage, according to directions, and found himself at once in the midst of so cheerful a party that he felt it impossible to resist the fun and merriment of the hour.

St. Joseph was too well known in general society not to find acquaintances even here, though he was hardly prepared to meet representatives of so many pursuits and professions, hooded and spurred for the chase, and judging by the ceaseless banter they interchanged,

"All determined to ride, each resolved to be first."

Soldiers, sailors, diplomatists, bankers, lawyers, artists, authors, men of pleasure, and men of business, holding daily papers they never looked at, were all talking across each other, and laughing incessantly, while enthroned at one end of the carriage sat the best sportsman and most popular member of the assemblage, whose opinions, like his horse, carried great weight, and were of as unflinching a nature as his riding, so that he was esteemed a sort of president in jack-boots. Opposite him was placed pretty Irish Norah, now Mrs. Walters, intensely excited by her first appearance at what she called "an English Hunt," while she imparted to Daisy, in a mellower brogue than usual, very original ideas on things in general, and especially on the country through which they were now flying at the rate of forty miles an hour.

"It's like a garden where it's in tillage, and a croquet-lawn where it's in pasture," said Norah, after a gracious recognition of the General, and cordial greeting to Bill, who was bundled in at Willesden, panting, with his spurs in his hand. "Ah! now, Daisy, it's a little of the whip-poor-Boneen will be wanting for easy leaps like them."

"What till you get into the vale," said Daisy; "and whatever you do let his head alone. Follow me close, and if I'm down, ride over me. It's the custom of the country."

The General smiled. "I haven't been there for twenty years," said he; "but I can remember in my time we were not very particular. I shall follow my old friend," he added, nodding to the president, whose nether garments were of the strongest and most workmanlike materials: when a man has no regular hunting things, he wants a leader to turn the thorns, and from all I hear, if I can only stick to mine, I shall be in a very good place."

Everybody agreed to this, scanning the speaker with approving glances, the while, St. Joseph, though wearing trousers and a common morning coat, had something in his appearance that denoted the practised horseman; and when he talked of "twenty years ago," his listeners gave him credit for those successes, which in all times, are attributed to the men of the past.

"Mrs. Walters must be a little careful at the doubles," hazarded a quiet good-looking man who had not yet spoken, but whose nature it was to be exceedingly courteous,

and then, he up to his eyes in the matter, and that gloomed here and there under the willows with which its banks were fringed. Enclosures varying from fifty to a hundred acres, gave promise of as much galloping as the heart of man, or even woman could desire. And scanning those fences the Irish lady admitted to herself, though not to her companions, that from a distance they looked as formidable obstacles as any she had confronted in Kildare.

"It's beautiful," said Norah. "It's made on purpose for a hunt. Look, Daisy, there's the hounds! Oh, the darlings! And little Boneen, he sees them, too!"

Gathered round their huntsman, a wiry, sporting-looking man on thoroughbred bay horse, they were moving into sight from behind a hay-stack that stood in a corner of the neighboring field. Rich in color, beautiful in shape, and with a family likeness pervading the lot as if they were all one litter, a fox hunter would have grudged them for the game they were about to pursue—a noble red deer, in so far tame, that he was fed in the paddock, and brought to a condition that could tax the speed and endurance even of this famous pack. The animal had already arrived in a large van on wheels, drawn by pair of horses, and surrounded by a levee of gaping rustics, whose eagerness and love for the sport reminded Norah of her countrymen on the other side of the Channel.

"Will they let him out here, Daisy?" said she, in accents of trembling excitement. "I wish they'd begin. What are we waiting for?"

"Your patience will not be tried much longer," said the General, lighting a cigar. "Here comes the master, at a pace as if the mare that landed him the Thousand Guineas, the Oaks, and the St. Leger, had been made a cover-back for the occasion!"

"With the Derby-winner of the same year, for second horse!" added her husband. "If you want a pilot, Norah, you couldn't do better than stick to him, heavy as he is!"

"I mean to follow you, sir," was the rejoinder. "If you don't mind Daisy, maybe I'll be before ye."

Even while she spoke a stir throughout the whole cavalcade, and a smothered shout from the foot-people announced that the deer had been enlarged.

With a wild leap in the air, as though rejoicing in its recovered liberty, the animal started off at speed, but in the least favorable direction it could have taken, heading towards the ascent on the side of which the horsemen and a few carriages were drawn up. Then slackening its pace to a jerking, springing trot—paused—changed its mind—lowered its head—dashed wildly down the hill to disappear through a high bull-finch, and after a few seconds came again into view, travelling swift and straight across the vale.

The General smoked quietly, but his eye brightened, and he seemed ten years younger for the sight.

"It's all right now," said he; "the sooner they lay them on the better."

Soldier Bill drawing his girths, looked up with a beaming smile.

"They say there's a lady, a mysterious unknown, in a thick veil who beats everybody with these hounds," he observed. "I wonder why she's not out to-day."

"I think she is," replied Daisy, shooting a mischievous glance at his wife. "I fancied I caught the flutter of a habit just now behind the hay-stack. I suppose she's determined to get a good start and cut Norah down!"

Ere the latter could reply, the hounds dashed across the line of the deer. Throwing the tongues in full muscular notes, they spread like a fan, with noses in the air; then, stopping to the scent, converged, in one melodious crash and chorus, ere they took to running with a grim, silent determination that denoted the extremity of pace. Every man set his horse going at speed. Nearly a dozen selected their places in the first fence—a formidable bull-finch. The rest, turning rather away from the hounds, thundered wildly down to an open gate.

Amongst those who meant riding straight, it is needless to say, were Mrs. Walters and her three cavaliers. These landed in the second field almost together. Daisy, closely pursued by his wife, stealing through a weak

steadiness. Like Coleridge's Ancient Mariner, "he blessed them unawares." Bill, I fear, did the other thing, for the fence was so high he never saw them turn, and jumped well into their midst, happily without doing any damage.

This slight delay, however, had the effect of bringing Daisy, his wife, Soldier Bill, and the General into the same field with Miss Douglas. She heard the footfall of their horses, looked round, and set the black mare going faster than before. If, as indeed seemed probable, she was resolved not to be overtaken, the pack, straining away at speed once more, served her purpose admirably. No horse alive could catch them; and Satanella herself seemed doing her best to keep on tolerable terms at that terrific pace. The majority of the field had already been hopelessly distanced. The General found even the superior animal he rode fail somewhat in the deep-holding meadows. Bill was in difficulties, although he had religiously adhered to the shortest way. Even Daisy began to wish for a pull, and only little Boneen, quite thorough-bred, and as good as he was sluggish, seemed to keep galloping on, strong and full of running as at the start. For more than a mile our friends proceeded with but a slight alteration in their relative positions—Satanella, perhaps, gradually leaving her followers, and the hounds drawing away from all five. In this order two or three flying fences were negotiated, and a fair brook cleared. Daisy, looking back in some anxiety, could not but admire the form in which Norah roused and handled Boneen. That good little horse, bred and trained in Ireland, seemed to combine the activity of a cat with the sagacious instincts of a dog. Like all his blood, he only left off being lazy when his companions began to feel tired; and Mrs. Walters, coming up with her husband, as they rose the hill from the waterside, declared, though he did not hear her, "I could lead the hunt now, Daisy, if you'd let me. Little Boneen's as plused as Punch! He'd like to pull hard, only he's such a good boy he doesn't know how!"

Bill's horse dropped its hind legs in the brook, and fell, but was soon up again with its rider. The General got over successfully; nevertheless, his weight was beginning to tell, and the ground being now on the ascent, he found himself the last of the five people with the hounds.

At the crest of the hill frowned a black, forbidding-looking bull-finch: on this side a strong rail; on the other, if a horse ever got there, the uncertainty, which might or might not, culminate in a rattling fall. Daisy glanced anxiously to right and left, on his wife's behalf, but there was no forgiveness. They must have it, or go home! Then he watched how the famous black mare would acquit herself a hundred yards ahead of him, and felt little reassured to detect such a struggle in the air while she topped the fence, as by no means inferred a pleasant landing where she disappeared on its far side.

He wavered, he hesitated, and pulled his horse off for a stride; but Norah's impatient—"Ah, Daisy! go on now!" urged him to the attempt, and he chanced it, with his heart in his mouth, for her sake, not his own.

Taking fast hold of his horse's head, he got over with a scramble, turning afterwards in the saddle to watch how it fared with his wife and little Boneen. Her subsequent account described the performance better than could any words of mine.

"When I loosed him off at it," said she, "I just touched him on the shoulder with the whip, to let him know he wasn't in Kildare. He understood well enough, the little darling! for he pricked his ears, and came back to a slow canter; but I'd like ye to have felt the bound he made when he rose to it! Such a place beyond! 'Twas as thick as a cabbage-garden—dog-roses, honey-suckles, I'm not sure there wasn't cauliflowers, and all twisted up together to conceal a deep, wide, black-looking hole, like a boreen.* Well, I just felt him give a sort of a little kick, while he left the entire perplexity ten feet behind him, and when he landed, as

* "Boreen," Irish for a deep, stone-paved lane.

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The General looked the quietest and most composed of all. Calm and still, he seemed less to watch than to wait. Perhaps some subtler instinct than theirs taught him the disastrous certainty, revealed to him the inevitable truth.

Towards evening of the second day Norah came into the passage and laid her hand on his shoulder, as he sat gazing vacantly from the window, over the fields and orchards about the farm. They loomed hazy and indistinct in the early winter twilight, but the scene on which he looked was clear enough—a bright sunny slope, a golden gleam in the sky above, and on earth a dark heap, with a trailing habit, and a slender riding-whip clenched in a small gloved hand.

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THE END.

The annual gathering of the fire brigades of the Easter section of the Province will be held this year at Napanee. The Express says: "We understand arrangements are now being made by the firemen to have their celebration here on Thursday, August 3rd. Invitations will at once be sent out to all fire companies between Strathroy on the west to Prescott on the east—a much larger invitation than has ever been given by the firemen in the different places where demonstrations have been made in former years. In addition to our Canadian guests some American companies will likely be present, making, in all, perhaps, an assembly of about 3,000 firemen."

NEBUCHADNEZZAH.

You, Nebuchadnezzah, who, sah!
Whar is you tryin' to go, sah?
I'd hab you for to know, sah,
'Tis a holdin' ob de lines.
You better stop dat prancin';
You's pow'ful fond of dancin',
But I'll bet my yeah's advancin'
Dat I'll cure you ob your shins.

Look heah, mule! Better min' out—
Put 't'ing you know you'll fin' out
How quick I'll wear dis line out
On your ugly stubb'n back.
You needn't try to steal up
An' lit' dat precious heel up:
You's got to plow dis fiel' up,
You has, sah, for a mule.

Dar, dat's de way to do it!
He's comin' right down to it:
Jus' watch him plowin' 't'oo it!
Dis nigger ain't no fool.
Some folks dey would 'a' beat him;
Now, dat would only heat him—
I know jest how to treat him;
You mus' reason wid a mule.

He minds me like a nigger,
If he was only bigger,
He'd fetch a mighty figger,
He would, I tell you! Yes, sah!
See how he keeps a clickin'!
Au' nebber thinks o' kickin'—
Whoa dar! Nebuchadnezzah!

Is dis heah me, or not me?
Or is de debbil got me?
Was dat a cannon shot me?
Hab I laid heah mor'n a week?
Dat mule do kick amazin'!
De beast was sp'iled in raisin'—
By now I 'spect he's grazin'
On de oder side de creek.

—Scribner for June.

MR. LOVELL'S HORSE.

Mr. Lovell sends the following narrative to us for publication. We do not vouch for its truth, but Mr. Lovell's address will be furnished to any reader who wishes to put him under oath: Last summer I bought a horse; he was warrented sound and kind in harness, but I discovered that it was a very poor kind. He had an irresistible propensity to back; he seemed to be impressed with a conviction that nature had put his hind legs in front, and that he could see with his tail, and, whenever I attempted to start him, he always proceeded straggling foremost, until I whipped him savagely, and then he would go in a proper manner, but suddenly, and with the air of a horse that had a conviction that there was a lunatic in the carriage who didn't know what he was about. One day, while we were coming down the street, this theory became so strong that he suddenly stopped and backed the carriage through the plate-glass window of Mackey's drug store. After that I always hitched him up with his head towards the carriage, and then he seemed to feel better contented, only sometimes he became too sociable and used to put his head over the dasher and try to chew my legs, or eat up the lap cover. Besides, the peculiar arrangement of the animal excited unpleasant remarks when I drove out; and when I wanted to stop, and would hitch him by the tail to a post, he had a very disagreeable way of reaching out with his hind legs and sweeping the sidewalk whenever he saw anybody that he felt as if he would like to kick. He was not much of a saddle-horse; nor that he would attempt to throw his rider, but whenever a saddle was put on him it made his back itch, and he would always insist upon rubbing it against the first tree or fence, or corner of a house, that he came to, and if he could bark the rider's leg he seemed to be better contented. The last time I rode him was upon the day of Aleck Bunker's wedding. I had on my best suit, and on the way to the festival there was a creek to be forded. When the horse got into the middle of it he took a drink, and then looked around at the scenery. Then he took another drink, and gazed again at the prospect. Then he suddenly felt tired and lay down in the water. By the time he was sufficiently rested I was ready to go home. The next day he was taken sick. My hired man said it was the epizooty, and he mixed him up some turpentine in a bucket of warm feed. That night the horse had spasms and kicked four of the best boards out of the side of the stable. Jones said that horse hadn't the epizooty, but the bots, and that turpentine ought to have been rubbed on the outside of him, instead of going into his stomach. So we rubbed him with turpentine, and next morning he hadn't a hair on his body. Colonel Smith told me that if I wanted to know what really ailed that horse he would tell me. It was glanders, and if he wasn't bled he would die. So the Colonel bled him for me. We took away a tubful, and the horse thinned down so that his ribs made him look as if he had swallowed a hoopskirt. I made him hungry, too, for that night he ate the feed-box, a breeching-strap and two trace-chains. Then I sent for the horse doctor, and he said there was nothing

A FIGHT WITH A SHARK.

Captain John B. Guttman, of the Pensacola Guards, signaled himself in an old encounter last Friday and came out first best. Riding down to the shore of Escambia Bay, the Captain noticed a strange commotion in the water, and that the beach for a considerable distance was covered with fish from six inches to a foot and a half in length, some dead and some still jumping, while others continued to spring from the water, above which showed the sharp dorsal fin of a shark, cutting the surface as he pursued the fish. The sporting spirit of the Captain was fired, and springing from his buggy he opened his pocket-knife, when a blade less than three inches long, and rushed into the water, which was thigh deep, where he encountered the shark, and pushed his little knife into it. The creature did not seem to feel it, and his hind legs was so tough that the Captain could not rip it, so he continued his thrusts while the shark endeavored to turn so as to seize him. Finally the shark felt the blade, and retreating twelve or fifteen feet, charged back with a rush. The captain sprang aside as it attempted to bite him and seized him by the fin, which was ten inches long, and plied his knife while they waltzed round, the shark continually turning in the endeavor to bite. Finding his knife of no avail against the nine lives of the shark, the Captain caught up a short heavy piece of drift wood which opportunely came within reach, and as the fish threw its head out of the water struck it a severe blow at the base of the skull which instantly stunned it. He then drew it ashore, where it was dispatched. It was exactly five feet in length. In the earliest stages of the conflict, Capt. G.'s three companions, who were off in the woods at its beginning, came out on the bluff and called out in alarm, "It's a shark! come out of the water!" That Prussian gave his lips their usual twist and simply said, "I know it," and went on with his amusement, which he says was almost equal to some fun he has had with bears and bull bison, numbers of both of which he has slain. Now he has gone as a delegate to the Democratic Convention at Quincy, and for whatever he considers the right there he will make just as determined a fight as he did with the shark. —Pensacola Gazette.

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Watching the frightened teamster goading the beast to rise.
Hold I for for his toil is over—no more labor for him!
See the poor neck outstretched and the patient eyes grow dim,
See on the friendly stones how peacefully rests his head—
Thinking, if dumb beasts think, how good it is to be dead;
After the harden'd journey, how restful it is to lie
With the broken shafts and the cruel load waiting only to die!
Watchers, he died in harness—died in the shafts and straps—
Fell, and the great load killed him, one of the day's mishaps—
One of the passing wonders marking the road—
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TRIM THE HOOPS OF COLTS.

In many instances the insensible portion of the hoofs of colts and of young horses, will grow out so round and flat that fragments sometimes will be broken off. This is more particularly the case if colts are allowed to run at large occasionally on hard ground, and gravely on stony lands and hard roads; the hoofs will wear fast enough, as nature evidently intended they should. But if young horses are kept on smooth turf their feet must be kept short by artificial means. The most convenient way to trim long hoofs is to let one person hold a block of hard wood against the hoof, or hold the hoof on the square end of the wood while an attendant cuts off small pieces with a sharp chisel and mallet. Use an inch firmer chisel rather than a larger one, as a two inch chisel will require heavier blows with a mallet. A pair of sharp nippers (sometimes vulgarly called snips), may often be employed for such a purpose when a colt is so restive that the chisel and mallet cannot be used.

We have in mind a colt having unusually long hoofs, which had in his play stopped up some hard substance, and broken off the front part of the hoof of one foot to the quick. The accident was attended with some bleeding and excessive lameness, the suffering brute being unwilling to put his foot to the ground. Ten minutes' work would have saved the animal much pain; and the owner might have had the benefit of three months' growth, instead of having it arrested for that period. But the occasional breaking off of a part of the hoof is but a mere trifle when compared with other evils which result from the same cause. When the toes are too long, the strain on the fetlock joint will be greatly increased, so that permanent injury to the suspensory ligament of the foot often follows. Young horses frequently have wind-galls, and other evidences of sprain before they are put to work. In many instances such ailments occur where shortening of the hoofs has been neglected until the hoofs have grown to an unnatural length.—Practical Farmer.

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On Wednesday last, a family of emigrants who were travelling along the Union Pacific toward far-off Oregon, camped for the night at Point of Rocks station, distant 200 miles west of Cheyenne. After supper one of the children strayed away from camp. Mother searched throughout the entire night, but without success. Shortly after daylight, however, the child was found on top of a ledge of rocks, 200 feet above the camp. His clothes had been stripped from him and his body was scratched in several places, but the little thing was alive and well. Although youth and fright made its story almost unbelieveable, the child's description of the animal which carried it away and bore it to its clothing proves it to have been a large mountain lion. It was a wonderful escape from a horrible death.—Cheyenne Leader.

HONORING SUNSHINE AND...

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About noon on Saturday an Indian executed a remarkable feat with a bow and arrows at the corner of Shelby street and Michigan avenue. The arrows had square blunt heads. The Indian told a shoemaker who keeps a shop at the corner that he could peg a shoe, driving in the pegs with his arrows, at a distance of 20 yards. The shoemaker assented, and the Indian took up his position at the required distance. The son of St. Crispin made a hole in the shoe with his awl and put a peg in it, and then held the sole out. The arrow struck the peg square on the head and drove it home. The feat was repeated about fifty times, and each time the peg was driven flush with the sole by the unerring arrow.—Detroit News.

TRIM THE HOOFS OF COLTS.

In many instances the inelastic portion of the hoofs of colts and of young horses, will grow out so round and flat that fragments sometimes will be broken off. This is more particularly the case if colts are allowed to run at large occasionally on hard ground, and gravelly and stony lands and hard roads, the hoofs will wear fast enough, as nature evidently intended they should. But if young horses are kept on smooth turf their feet must be kept short by artificial means. The most convenient way to trim long hoofs is to let one person hold a block of hard wood against the hoof, or hold the hoof on the square end of the wood while an attendant cuts off small pieces with a sharp chisel and mallet. Use an inch firmer chisel rather than a larger one, as a two inch chisel will require heavier blows with a mallet. A pair of sharp nippers (sometimes vulgarly called snips), may often be employed for such a purpose when a colt is so restive that the chisel and mallet cannot be used.

We have in mind a colt having unusually long hoofs, which had in his play stepped upon some hard substance, and broken off the front part of the hoof of one foot to the quick. The accident was attended with some bleeding and excessive lameness, the suffering brute being unwilling to put his foot to the ground. Ten minutes' work would have saved the animal much pain, and the owner might have had the benefit of three months' growth, instead of having it arrested for that period. But the occasional breaking off of a part of the hoof is but a mere trifle when compared with other mischiefs resulting from the same cause. When the toe is too long, the strain on the fetlock joint will be greatly increased, so that permanent injury to the suspensory ligament of the foot often follows. Young horses frequently have wind-galls, and other evidences of sprains, before they are put to work. In many instances such ailments occur where shortening of the toe has been neglected until the hoofs have grown to an unnatural length.—Practical Farmer.

A PLAYFUL MOUNTAIN LION.

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HONORING SUNSHINE AND EXERCISE.

The patronage of the lacrosse players by the Queen shows on the part of Her Majesty an intelligent appreciation of the value of these manly sports. Whoever contributes an innocent out-of-door amusement to a people is more of a benefactor than he who organizes an army. "This is where we won the battle of Waterloo," said the Duke of Wellington, looking at the Eton boys in a cricket field. What an immense advantage base ball has been to our own country! While the passion for it lasted every village had its club and every strapping was running his bases. Lacrosse is in this family of games—the family which includes polo, cricket, base ball, and so on. It is a game well known in Canada, but new to England. Her Majesty shows wisdom in approving it.

A boa constrictor, nine feet long, was captured on board the ship Surprise, recently arrived at London from Port Natal. It had concealed itself among the cargo, and was not discovered until the vessel was near home. This "stow away" paid for its passage by clearing the hold of rats and other vermin.



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LEPINE PARK, HOCHELAGA.

The enterprising proprietor of this new Park proposes to give a two days' meeting on the 17th and 18th inst. The programme will be found in another column, from which it will be seen several races out of the ordinary run will take place. The .85 race on the second day is likely to prove attractive to some of our Western horsemen, as so far there are no engagements for that week in this section. Entries close on Friday, July 14th, at 9 o'clock, p.m.

Sporting Gossip.

Mr. R. Thompson's mare Swallow ran against a stake with her breast at his farm, Wellington Square, a short time ago. A fearful wound was inflicted; but with good care she is gradually coming around.

A very fine stallion of Mr. Geo. Shaw, Bowmanville, for which he had been offered \$3,000, broke its own neck recently by running against a tree while playing in the yard.

Mr. Hebblethwait offers to match the four-year-old colt Douglas, by imp. Hurrab, that beat Vicksburgh at Chicago last week, to run a mile, carrying full weight, over the Peru, Ind., course in 1:43, for \$1,000 a side.

A match has been made at Ottawa between Mr. G. Fisher's mare Galatea and Mr. Flynn's Lily to be run on Saturday next, at Mutchmore Park. \$100 a side are the stakes, and the distance is over the same course as the Steeplechases were run on last Saturday.

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Mr. John Esmond, of Ottawa, appears to be in bad luck. On Saturday, he was riding Midnight in the races there when the horse struck at a jump, and throw him heavily.—Barrister followed with another tumble, and one of his feet came down on Mr. E.'s ear. It was thought he would be trampled to death; he was carried off in a state of unconsciousness, but shortly afterwards rallied.

Frank Allison, one of the entries in the SPORTING TIMES Stallion Race, scored his first winning on Canadian soil at Aurora last week. He will have to get there sooner in the "big event," or his chances will be slim for victory.

CANADIAN HORSES IN ENGLAND.

A number of Canadian horses purchased in the neighborhood of Toronto and Montreal have been brought over to England with perfect safety and with a very profitable and encouraging result. I went down to Worcester Park, a charming suburban village in Surrey, a few miles from London, where the stables are situated in which the horses are located. They were all in what I call capital condition, a little "above themselves" perhaps, but not so fat as horses are generally made in England by the dealers before sale. The importer was a private speculation, and the importer intends to sail for Canada to purchase another lot in three weeks' time. Almost all this first lot have found purchasers very readily here, although the market for horses is falling a good deal from prices of last three or four years. The animals

than Kentucky horses. As they are the first lot of American horses ever landed in London they have been visited by many persons interested. The Glasgow tramway cars have been partly horsed by American bred cattle, but none of these horses are yet employed by the General Omnibus Company, who are ready to buy to any extent if the right sort are offered them at the right price. The Company have for three or four years past been paying about £35 per head for horses of a rough and useful wear and tear stamp. Such was the interest felt in this consignment that the Agricultural Hall management wished to have them on view at their great establishment. Owing to the Horse Show, however, this was impracticable till most of the lots had found purchasers. It is, however, very likely that the next arrivals will be shown there.—London Cor.

Canadian Turf.

HAMILTON RACES.

The Summer Meeting of the Hamilton Association commenced on Thursday 29th ult. The weather was very warm and the attendance rather limited. Considerable pains had been taken to get the track in good shape, but it manifestly was not very fast. Of the three events on the programme the first day only two were called on; it being claimed by the Association that the Dominion bred race had not filled.

The first race called up was the 2:37 trot, the entry list of which numbered eight, but only six responded, Woodruff and Pilot being absentees. Barlow, of whom astonishing stories had been told, was made a warm favorite, with Eddie for second choice. On getting the word Lady Hill was the first away, and kept her position throughout, being closely pressed by Eddie who suffered considerable interruption from Fulton and Quaker Boy.

For the second heat Eddie overhauled Lady Hill and beating her down the stretch got the heat. The third heat was captured by Lady Hill, and the fourth by Tempest. A collision between Eddie and Fulton resulted in the fifth being called no heat, although the chestnut stallion had the best of it; and Eddie credited himself with the sixth. The Judges, on the conclusion of this heat, informed the drivers they would trot another heat, but by organized delay on the part of those who did not wish to start, the authority of the judges was overridden and the race adjourned until the following morning. By this lack of firmness, a serious injury was inflicted on the backers of Eddie who were playing him at \$10 to \$4 against the field on the assumption another heat would be immediately trotted. In the morning Tempest placed two more heats to her credit, in the first of which Eddie came to the front but was set back to third place ostensibly for running. Pete Curran got up behind Barlow in the 4th and 5th heats, but was not successful in placing him. The ruling of the Judges was quite lax through this race; if their powers had been enforced some of the horses would have been sent to the stable much sooner than the conclusion of the 5th scored heat. Lady Hill proved herself to be an extraordinary honest trotter, as she took the whip from wire to wire without showing a disposition to get off her feet. The summary follows:—

HAMILTON, Ont., June 29 and 30, 1876—\$350; 2:37 Trot—\$350; 240 to first, 75 to second, 35 to third.

Table with columns for horse name, driver, and race results (e.g., R. Wilson, Hamilton, ch m Tempest... Stinson 4 3 5 1'0 4 1 1; J. Bradburn, St. Catharines, blk m Lady Hill... Bradburn 1 2 1 3 0 2 2 3; R. James, Toronto, g g Gray Eddie... James 2 1 3 4 0 1 3 2; D. Gillies, St. Catharines, ch s Fulton... Gillies 8 4 2 2 0 3 ro; W. Winslow, Thorold, b Quaker Boy... J.E. 6 5 4 5 0 5 ro; W. Christalaw, Pt Hope, b Barlow... Slack 5 6 6 6 0 dr; S. James, Hamilton, b g Woodruff... drawn; J. S. Gerrow, Hamilton, br g Pilot... drawn.

Time—2:38 1/2, 2:39 1/2, 2:39 1/2, 0:00, 0:00, 2:45, 2:40 1/2, 2:40 1/2.

* Declared no heat on account of accidental collision. † Last two heats trotted on 30th.

The second affair was for County horses, and was won handily by Henrietta. Model showed in front the second heat but was set back for running.

June 29.—\$200; open to all horses owned in Co. Wentworth and City of Hamilton since 1st January, '76, that have never beaten 3 minutes; 125 to first, 50 to second, 25 to third.

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Time—2:53 1/2, 0:00, 2:52.

The conclusion of the :87 race, the 3:00 open trot, and the mile heats running race, open, was the bill for Friday. The finish of the :87 race is given above; John A. and Welland Girl had a hard tussle for supremacy in the slower class; and Inspiration had an easy victory in the running department. The Dominion handicap did not fill.

June 30.—3:00 Trot—\$250; 175 to first, 50 to

loss to the Association, as the attendance on Thursday and Friday was limited, and they looked forward to the holiday to recoup them in their expenditure, which doubtless would have been the case, as a fine programme was offered, and the city was full of strangers. St. Patrick won the :80 race; Welland Girl the :50 contest; and Inspiration and Battle Cry the open run and steeplechase respectively. St. Patrick and Inspiration were the favorites in their races; Barlow in the :50; and Boney in the cross county affair.

July 8.—\$300. Trotting. 2:30 class. Mile heats, 8 in 5, in harness. \$175, 75, 50.

Table with columns for horse name, driver, and race results (e.g., Owen Nowlan, Hamilton, b g St. Patrick 3 1 1 1; R. James, g g Gray Eddie... 1 3 3 4; A. F. Lee, Brantford, ch g Little Ethan 4 2 2 3; P. Davoy, Toronto, blk g Black Mack... 2 1 4 2).

Time—2:37 1/2, 2:36, 2:40 1/2, 2:36 1/2.

Same Day.—\$250. Trotting. 2:50 class. Mile heats, 8 in 5, in harness. \$175, 50, 25.

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Time—2:42 1/2, 2:46 1/2, 2:46, 2:49 1/2.

Same Day.—\$250. Running, handicap. Open to all. Mile heats. \$200, 50.

Table with columns for horse name, driver, and race results (e.g., C. Boyle, br m Inspiration (ped. above) 120 lbs... 1 1; P. Collins, b m Passion (ped above) 105 lbs 3 2; A. McLaughlin, b g Warrior (ped above) 112 lbs... 2 2).

Time—1:50, 1:49.

Same Day.—\$250. Steeplechase, handicap about 2 1/2 miles. \$200, 50.

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Time—5:26.

RACING AT MONTREAL.

The attendance at the Fashion Course on Saturday was large and respectable. The fair sex was numerously represented, and the commodious stands erected by the lessees were well patronized. They afforded a splendid vantage point for seeing every inch of the racing, which was highly interesting. Although a large crowd was present, and not a policeman on duty, yet so orderly and well behaved were the people that not a single row or disturbance occurred to mar the general enjoyment. As is always the case at this course, under the management of Messrs. Quinn & Carson, everything was conducted fairly and squarely, and not a single murmur of dissatisfaction escaped the lips of any one against the judge's decision or the management generally. There was an absence of drunkenness or rowdiness that was creditable and pleasing to witness. The Course is a good one, and was in capital order. The entries were not large, but some good contests took place nevertheless.

For the first event, a hurdle race dash of two miles over eight hurdles, Katie P. was made such a strong favorite that she was eventually barred in the pools, and the selling was for second place between Cecelia and Three Rivers, the former having the call. Katie P. took the lead and won as she liked, Cecelia second, Three Rivers having bolted at the second jump, and was nowhere in the race, although the course was gone over. The following is the summary:—

FASHION COURSE, BLUE BONNETS, Montreal, July 1, 1876.—\$200. Hurdle Race; dash of two miles over eight hurdles, 3 feet 6 inches high; Turf Club Walter weights. Province bred horses allowed 10 lbs. \$175, 25.

Table with columns for horse name, driver, and race results (e.g., Fisher & Carson, ch m Katie P, 6 yrs, by Colonus, dam Vanetta, 141 lbs... McBride 1; H. Brown, b m Cecelia, aged, by Canwell, dam Lucy Wade, 131 lbs... 2; Mr. Martin's Three Rivers... 0).

Time—4:13 1/2.

Same Day.—\$200. Open to all Province bred. Mile heats, T C W. Horses that never won a race allowed 5 lbs. \$175, 25.

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Time—1:55, 1:47 1/2.

Betting—Pilot, \$10; Maritime, 7.

The third was an open mile heat race. Capt. Elwes' mare Moonbeam, the winner of the Canadian Derby at Barrie in 1874, was the favorite; she got off with the lead, and won with hands down.

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Time—1:50 1/2, 1:50 1/2.

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CANADIAN HORSES IN ENGLAND.

A number of Canadian horses purchased in the neighborhood of Toronto and Montreal have been brought over to England with perfect safety and with a very profitable and encouraging result. I went down to Worcester Park, a charming suburban village in Surrey, a few miles from London, where the stables are situated in which the horses are located. They were all in what I call capital condition, a little "above themselves" perhaps, but not so fat as horses are generally made in England by the dealers before sale. The importation was a private speculation, and the importer intends to sail for Canada to purchase another lot in three weeks' time. Almost all this first lot have found purchasers very readily here, although the market for horses is failing a good deal from prices of last three or four years. The animals were suitable to all purposes, and were all warranted sound and quiet to ride or drive. The average cost price in Canada was \$120, and the selling average here has been £55, or \$275. The price there is hardly a criterion of what a horse would fetch here, but of this lot only a dozen remained unsold when I visited Worcester Park yesterday, though many of the sold lots still remained at the stables. One fine upstanding bay horse that was bought for \$102, near Toronto, had been sold yesterday to a gentleman for a brougham horse for £63. He was, in horse dealers' slang, the "pick of the basket," and made the top price. He looked very like taking to the timber business, if properly schooled for a hunter. All the sales had been made to private buyers.

The horses were shipped from New York, owing to the Dominion Line boat from Montreal breaking down; they came in the Wyoming, of the Guion Line, without a scratch, in a patent apparatus, which economizes room on shipboard, and secures safety to the animals. The cost was \$50 a head from Montreal to London, including every expense.

It is the opinion of many judges who have seen this lot of horses that Canadian bred animals are better suited to the English market

the stakes, and the distance is over the same course as the Steeplechases were run on last Saturday. We received the report of the second day at Montreal too late to publish it in extenso this week. Cecelia won the 1/4 mile heat race; Maritime the 2 1/2 mile dash; and the steeplechase did not fill. It is doubtful if York State will be able to take part in the American campaign this season. He is a trifler, and having been let up in his work is not in any shape for a hard siege. The crush of racing summaries has crowded out much of our Gossip besides many interesting items. But Dominion Day comes only once a year. We have been flooded this week with a perfect avalanche of reports of Base Ball, Cricket, and Lacrosse matches, prize lists of Athletic games, &c., &c., sufficient to fill a paper of four times our capacity. Woodbine Park Special Meeting has been postponed for one week—until Saturday, the 15th inst. Mr. John Esmond, of Ottawa, appears to be in bad luck. On Saturday, he was riding Midnight in the races there when the horse struck at a jump, and threw him heavily.—Barrister followed with another tumble, and one of his feet came down on Mr. E.'s ear. It was thought he would be trampled to death; he was carried off in a state of unconsciousness, but shortly afterwards rallied. Frank Allison, one of the entries in the Sporting Times Stallion Race, scored his first winning on Canadian soil at Aurora last week. He will have to get there sooner in the "big event," or his chances will be slim for victory.

HAMILTON, Ont., June 29 and 30, 1876—\$350;

2:37 Trot—\$350; 240 to first, 75 to second, 35 to third.

R Wilson, Hamilton, ch m	Tempest ..	Stinson	4 3 5 1 0 4 1 1
J Bradburn, St Catherine's, blk m	Lady Hill ..	Bradburn	1 2 1 3 0 2 2 3
R James, Toronto, g g	Gray Eddie ..	James	2 1 3 4 0 1 3 2
D Gillies, St Catherine's, ch s	Fulton ..	Gillies	3 4 2 2 0 3 ro
W W. slow, Thorold, b g	Quaker Boy ..	J Ellis	6 5 4 5 0 5 ro
W Christalaw, Pt Hope, b g	Barlow ..	Slack	5 6 6 6 0 dr
S James, Hamilton, bg	Wood-ruff ..	drawn	
J S Gerrow, Hamilton, br g	Pilot ..	drawn	

Time—2:38 1/2, 2:39 1/2, 2:39 1/2, 0:00, 0:00, 2:45, 2:40 1/2, 2:40 1/2.

* Declared no heat on account of accidental collision. † Last two heats trotted on 30th.

The second affair was for County horses, and was won handily by Henrietta. Model showed in front the second heat but was set back for running.

June 29.—\$200; open to all horses owned in Co. Wentworth and City of Hamilton since 1st January, '76, that have never beaten 3 minutes; 125 to first, 50 to second, 25 to third.

S James, blk m Henrietta ..	1 1 1
J James, ch m Model ..	4 2 2
Dr Bethune, dn g Comet ..	2 4 4
C Harris, rn g Ballymena ..	3 3 3

Time—2:53 1/2, 0:00, 2:52.

The conclusion of the :37 race, the 3:00 open trot, and the mile heats running race, open, was the bill for Friday. The finish of the :37 race is given above; John A. and Welland Girl had a hard tussle for supremacy in the slower class; and Inspiration had an easy victory in the running department. The Dominion handicap did not fill.

June 30—3:00 Trot—\$250; 175 to first, 50 to second, 25 to third.

R James, Toronto, b g John A.	2 2 1 1 1
J Mitchell, Toronto, b m Welland Girl	1 1 2 2 2
G Forbes, Woodstock, br m Lady Rysdyk ..	5 3 3 3 3
W Slack, Pt Hope, b m Lillian ..	3 4 4 4 dr
J S Palmer, Scarborough, blk g Scarborough Boy ..	4 5 dis
R C Stinson, Hamilton, ch g Nelson Chief ..	dr

Time—2:48 1/2, 2:48 1/2, 0:00, 0:00, 2:50 1/2.

Same Day—\$250; open ran, mile heats; 200 to first, 50 to second.

C Boyle, br m Inspiration, 5 yrs, by Warminster, dam Sophia, 107 lbs.	1 1
A McLaughlin, London, b g Warrior, 5 yrs, by War Dance, dam by Yorkshire, 107 lbs	3 2
P Collins, Toronto, b m Passion, aged, by Red Eye, dam by imp Scythian, 113 lbs.	2 3

Time—1:48 1/2, 1:48 1/2.

Dominion Day, which was looked forward to by the Association, horsemen, and patrons as the most attractive of the meeting, turned out disagreeably wet, and the races were consequently adjourned until Monday. This postponement resulted in serious financial

losses. The attendance at the Fashion Course on Saturday was large and respectable. The fair sex was numerously represented, and the commodious stands erected by the lessees were well patronized. They afforded a splendid vantage point for seeing every inch of the racing, which was highly interesting. Although a large crowd was present, and not a policeman on duty, yet so orderly and well behaved were the people that not a single row or disturbance occurred to mar the general enjoyment. As is always the case at this course, under the management of Messrs. Quinn & Carson, everything was conducted fairly and squarely, and not a single murmur of dissatisfaction escaped the lips of any one against the judge's decision or the management generally. There was an absence of drunkenness or rowdiness that was creditable and pleasing to witness. The Course is a good one, and was in capital order. The entries were not large, but some good contests took place nevertheless.

For the first event, a hurdle race dash of two miles over eight hurdles, Katie P. was made such a strong favorite that she was eventually barred in the pools, and the selling was for second place between Cecelia and Three Rivers, the former having the call. Katie P. took the lead and won as she liked, Cecelia second, Three Rivers having bolted at the second jump, and was nowhere over. The following is the summary:—

FASHION COURSE, BLUE BONNETS, Montreal, July 1, 1876.—\$200. Hurdle Race; dash of two miles over eight hurdles, 3 feet 6 inches high; Turf Club Welter weights. Province bred horses allowed 10 lbs. \$175, 25.

Fisher & Carson, ch m Katie P, 6 yrs, by Colossus, dam Vanetta, 141 lbs.	McBride 1
H Brown, b m Cecelia, aged, by Canwell, dam Lucy Wade, 181 lbs.	2
Mr Martin's Three Rivers	0

Time—4:13 1/2.

Same Day.—\$200. Open to all Province bred. Mile heats, T C W. Horses that never won a race allowed 5 lbs. \$175, 25.

F Martin, Toronto, ch g Pilot, 5 yrs, by Jack the Barber, dam by Pilot, 107 lbs.	Gates 1
J Lannan, br g Maritime, 4 yrs, by Jack Lane, dam by imp Sambo, 101 lbs	McLean 2 2

Time—1:55, 1:47 1/2.

Betting—Pilot, \$10; Maritime, 7. The third was an open mile heat race. Capt. Elwes' mare Moonbeam, the winner of the Canadian Derby at Barrie in 1874, was the favorite; she got off with the lead, and won with hands down.

Same Day.—\$225. Open to all horses. Mile heats, T C W. Horses wintered in Canada allowed 5 lbs. Dominion bred allowed 10 lbs.

Mr Elwes, ch m Moonbeam, 5 yrs, by Planet, dam Edina, 107 lbs.	1 1
D Driscoll, Masous	2 2
J Lannan, br g Maritime, pedigree above, 91 lbs	3 3

Time—1:50 1/2, 1:50 1/2.

RACING AT OTTAWA.

The attendance at Mutchmor's Park, Ottawa, on Saturday was rather limited, owing doubtless to the economy manifested in giving due publicity to the races. The horses were principally local ones, with the exception of Jonathan Scott's Grey Cloud and Goldfinch. The delay in starting some of the races brought forth anything but complimentary remarks towards the management. The first event was a dash of a mile and a quarter. It had two entries, and was an easy victory for Goldfinch, beating The Squire (formerly Gopher.) The latter was owned in Toronto last season, but his debut here did not indicate that he was a race horse of much promise. The judges were Mr. R. Young and Dr. Coleman, with Mr. E. C. Barber as general manager. The summary follows.

Mutchmor's Park, Ottawa, Ont., July 1, 1876.—\$150. City Plate. Dash of a mile and a half. Open to all horses.

Jonathan Scott, ch m Goldfinch, aged, by Harper, dam by Lapidist	1
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W Williams, b g The Squire (formerly Gopher) 5 yrs, by King Lear, dam Genetill... 2 Time—2:54.

A steeplechase for \$150 followed. There were four entries. Galatea had the call in box. The horses had a good send off, after considerable scoring, and all took the first hurdle in good style.

Same Day.—\$150. Carleton Cup Steeplechase. Open to all horses.

The third event was a steeplechase for horses used as hacks. It had seven entries and five starters. The race was won by Surprise, all the others having come to grief or running out of the proper track.

Same Day.—\$100. Corinthian Cup. Steeplechase, open to horses used as hacks, that have hunted with the Ottawa hounds during the Spring steeplechase season.

The fourth and last race was the Flash Stake dash of a mile. The entry list numbered six. A keen contest took place, but Grey Cloud proved the winner, with Lily a close second.

Same Day.—\$100; Flash Stakes, open to all horses. Dash of a mile.

RACING AT AURORA.

Quite a large number were attracted to Aurora on June 30 and July 1, by the programme of races announced by the Turf Club of that town.

AVRORA, Ont., June 30, 1876.—\$100; trotting, for three-year-olds. Mile heats, 3 in 5. \$75 to first, 25 to second.

Same Day.—\$50; running, hack race: one-half mile heats, 3 in 5. \$35 to first, 15 to second.

J W Raymer, b g Little Joe, aged... 3 2 2 1 1 1 B Wells, b m Flora, aged, by Ruric 2 1 1 2 2 2 P Brown, b g Barney Brown, aged, by Charon 1 3 4 3 3 3 S Ashton, b g Farmer, aged, by Capt Buford 5 4 3 dr T Rodgers, b m Mary Ann Armstrong, aged, by Daniel Webster 4 5 dr J Davis, b g Young Dominion, aged, by Harper 3 1 2 2 Time—2:06, 3:15, 3:12, 3:09.

July 1.—\$100. Running; Dominion breeds. Mile heats. \$75, 25. P Boach, b g 5 yrs, by Ruric, 107 lbs. 1 1 J Davis, b g Young Dominion, aged, by Harper, 118 lbs. 3 2 L Crossland, b m Exaltity, 5 yrs, by The Teacher, 107 lbs. 2 3 T Rodgers, b m Mary Ann Armstrong, aged, by Daniel Webster. dr P Brown, b g Barney Brown, aged, by Charon. dr S Ashton, b g Farmer, aged, by Capt Buford dr

John Dinalay, ch h John A. 1 1 1 Nelson Griffin, ch m Wingham Star, by Red Cloud 2 2 2 R Davidson, ch h Brown George. 3 3 dr Time—3:15, 3:14, 3:19.

Same Day.—\$70; running, open to all horses, mile heats. \$50, 20.

W J McCutcheon, w g Gladstone 1 1 1 Richard Davidson, br g Brown George 2 2 2 Joseph Shaw, br g Honest Dick 0 0 0 John King, gr g Grey Wallace 0 0 0 W Richardson, ch m Silvey. dr J Martin, b g Sloopy Bill. dr

Same Day.—\$30; trotting, for horses that never won money on any public or private driving park. Mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. \$20, 10.

TROTTING AT LAPRARIÉ, P.Q.

Four events were set down for discussion over M. Lepine's new track at Laprarie on Saturday, July 1st. A large crowd was in attendance from Montreal and the adjacent villages.

LAPRARIÉ, P.Q., July 1, 1876.—\$— Trotting, for four-year-olds. 2 1/2 mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness.

Second Race.—\$—. Mile heats, 2 in 3.

Five horses started; three heats were trotted, but the race was easily won by City Boy.

Third Race—This was a walk over for Village Girl, the other two entries being drawn.

Fourth Race—\$250. Trotting; 10 mile dash.

Wicked Jack started off with the lead trotting very fast for the distance he had to go, Policeman second, and the Girl bringing up the rear.

RACING AT ST. JOHNS, (ARVA) ONT.

The good people of St. Johns, near London, held their Dominion Day celebration on Friday last, anticipating by a day the proper date.

ST. JOHNS (ARVA) Ont, June 30, 1876.—\$5. Trotting; three-quarter mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. Open to all horses owned in London Township that never won public money. \$25, 10.

Owner's Jim Crow 1 1 1 Owner's Cricket 2 2 2 Owner's Big Sandy 3 3 3

July 1.—\$50. Trotting; Free for all. Three-quarter mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. \$30, 15, 5. L Mahan's Juliet 1 1 1 S Young's Lady Young 2 2 2 Holt's Black Piper 3 3 3

TROTTING AT AYR, ONT.

Dominion Day was celebrated at Ayr by a couple of trots on the Driving Park. The weather was very moist, but the owners of the horses decided to start them in preference to staying over.

AYR, Ont, July 1, 1876.—\$50. Green Trot. Mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. \$35, 15.

Same Day.—\$70. Trotting. For 2:50 class. Mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. \$50, 20.

TROTTING AT OTTAWA.

There was quite a large attendance of the sporting fraternity at the new Ottawa Trotting Park, on the Montreal road, on the 27th ult, to witness a three-mile trotting match, between Mr. Laporte's Brown Minnie and Mr. Robillard's horse.

TROTTING PARK, Ottawa, Ont., June 27.—\$— Match Trot. Three mile dash in harness.

LARGE STORIES.—A report has come to our ears, entirely believed by the gentleman telling the tale, that a stallion, seven years old, trotted a short time since, on Dr. Herr's track, a full mile in 2:09 1/2.

BASE BALL. KINGSTON vs. HAMILTON.

The Standards of Hamilton played their first championship game with the St. Lawrence of Kingston at the latter place on Dominion Day. The Standards speak very disparagingly of the Kingston ground as respects playing condition and fencing, being bounded with a picket fence, which reduces the gate money to a minimum.

Table with columns: ST. LAWRENCE, STANDARDS, Umpire, W. Nowlan.

GUELPH vs. TORONTO.

The game between the Maple Leafs and Torontos, played at Guelph on Saturday, resulted in a victory for the former by 18 to 8, four innings only being played.

LONDON vs. JACKSON, MICH.

On Saturday the return game was played between the Tecumseh's of London and the Mutuals of Jackson, at London.

Table with columns: LONDON, MUTUALS, Umpire, J. B. C.

Aquatics.

SPRINGFIELD REGATTA.

YALE DEFEATS HARVARD. SPRINGFIELD, Mass., June 30.—The eight oared four mile race between the Yale and Harvard crews on the Connecticut river, opposite this city, this afternoon, resulted in an easy victory for the Yale men, who took the lead at the start and kept it till the close, coming in about eight boat lengths ahead in 22 min. 2 secs., Harvard's time being half a minute longer.

The Yale men, who were present in large numbers, were very enthusiastic over the success of their crew. The citizens gave a reception to the students of both Harvard and Yale at the Springfield Club House, and Weld, of the Harvards, presented the colors to Captain Cook.

KENNEL.

PERESS.—Mr. L. H. Smith, of Strathroy, has received his bitch Perces recently purchased at Albridge's.

PIGEON SHOOTING.

A pigeon shoot took place at Kemptville on Saturday between six members of the Kemptville Gun Club.

Assard 100-1 Bottom 011-2 Taylor 111-3 Kerr 111-3 Kennedy 110-2 Jones 101-2

NOMENCLATURE.

JUDGE RIOUX.—I claim the name of Judge Rioux for my chestnut gelding, no white marks, foaled June 22, 1871; sired by the old Montreal Black Hawk, dam a Bellaire mare.

STUD NEWS.

The following foals have been dropped at Rydyk's Stock Farm, Prescott, Ont., J. P. Wisner, Proprietor: Black colt, two white feet behind, foaled June 6, by Penny Jack, he by Relf's Mambrino Pilot, dam Lady Fashion, by Long Island Black Hawk; bay colt, foaled June 18, four white feet and ankles, by Rydyk, dam Fanny, by Easton's Paul Fry; bay colt, foaled June 20, two white heels behind, by Rydyk, dam Black, pedigree unknown.

Wrestling.

WRESTLING MATCH IN DETROIT.

DETROIT, June 30.—The wrestling match between Col. James McLaughlin, champion of the world, and Jacob Martin, known as Butcher Boy, occurred last night at Whitney's Opera House.

DOG & SHEPHERD FIGHTING.

A CARD.—To all who are sufferers from errors and indiscretions of youth, nervousness, early decay, loss of manhood, send a recipe that will cure you. This great remedy was discovered in the South American States. Send an envelope to the Rev. James T. D. Bible House, New York City.

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AMERICAN WESTERN FOWL SHOOTING. Illustrations by John W. Lester, Esq., and Dr. H. C. Wood, Esq., of the West.

sible to throw Martin, owing to his stiff arms, but McLaughlin worked heroically all night to come to close quarters. His powerful efforts to overcome the rigidity of Martin's muscles often hurled his antagonist backward with terrible force, and the match resolved itself into a constant struggle on the part of Martin to keep arms' length from McLaughlin. Could McLaughlin have got breast to breast with Martin, he would have hurled the giant headlong to the floor. It is impossible to throw Martin while he keeps his massive arms rigid as iron.

Amusements.

CITY. The celebrated Vokes Family will appear at the Grand Opera House on Monday, 17th inst., in their eccentric dramas and sketches.

Haverly's Minstrels occupy the Royal Opera House this Friday and Saturday evenings. Among the galaxy of stars in the company is Mr. Cool Burgess, which is quite a sufficient warranty of the excellence of the entertainment.

The Queen's continues on the even tenor of its way, proffering an acceptable variety entertainment each evening.

GENERAL.

Mrs. Frank Murdock appeared at the Academy of Music, Montreal, in the sparkling comedy of Diamonds on Monday evening.

Gowan's Opera House, Ottawa, was opened on Wednesday, 6th July, by Messrs. Wilson & Co. with Miss Dollie Bidwell as the stellar attraction, supported by Mr. C. H. Clarke.

Van Amburgh's Circus and Menagerie are slowly moving west. Cole's Hippodrome is moving towards Montreal.

CAMPBELL'S QUININE WINE. Report from T. J. Baker Edwards, Ph. D., D.C.L., F.C.S., Professor of Chemistry and Microscopy.

I hereby certify that I have carefully analysed the samples of "Quinine Wine" submitted to me by Messrs. Kenneth Campbell & Co., with the following result: No. 1—Dark in color and turbid, deposits muddy sediment on standing, has a sweet and acid taste, Orange Flavor and scarcely bitter yields on evaporation a thick syrup of invert sugar, contains only a microscopic trace of Quinine and Quindine. Is made with Orange Wine.

No. 2—Campbell's—Light color, clear no deposit, contains Bisulphate of Quin the proportion of 1 grain to two fluid ounces made with sound sherry wine. No. 3—The latter (Campbell's), is the genuine "Quinine Wine" of the three examined. Signed, JOHN BAKER EDWARDS, Ph. D., D.C., Prof. of Chemistry and Microscopy, College and College of Industry, Montreal.

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M Flynn, g m Lily, pedigree above. 2
 A F Coleman, b c Glandeboye, by Enquirer. 0
 W Williams, b g The Squire, pedigree above. 0
 E B Hopper, b c Adonis. 0
 J Fitzsimmons, b m Galates, pedigree above. 0
 Time—1:50.

RACING AT AURORA.

Quite a large number were attracted to Aurora on June 30 and July 1, by the programme of races announced by the Turf Club of that town. The interest of the spectators the first day was centred in the running half-mile heat race 3 in 5, and the colt stake for three-year-olds. On Dominion Day the 2:50 trot proved to be quite an exciting affair, but was finally won by Mr. Kennedy's Avenue Boy; Mr. Harry Giddings' Silas Rich being second. Sweet William got the credit for the fastest heat—the three named being dropped from the 8-minute class. The obliging secretary has kindly furnished us with the following very complete summary of the different events:—

AURORA, Ont., June 30, 1876—\$100; trotting, for three-year-olds. Mile heats, 2 in 3. \$75 to first, 25 to second.
ER Palmer, ch o Valentine, by Erin Chief...... 2 2 1 1
A & R Wells, ch f Kitty Wells, by Erin Chief...... 1 8 2 2
Jas Wait, ch f Della Wait, by Erin Chief...... 3 1 2 3
 Time—3:06, 3:15, 3:12, 3:09.

Same Day—\$50; running, hack race: one-half mile heats, 3 in 5. \$35 to first, 15 to second.
J W Hayer, b g Little Joe, aged...... 3 2 2 1 1 1
R Wells, b m Flora, aged, by Rurio...... 2 1 1 2 2 2
P Brown, b g Barney Brown, aged, by Charon...... 1 3 4 3 3 3
S Ashton, b g Farmer, aged, by Capt Buford...... 5 4 3 dr
T Rogers, b m Mary Ann Armstrong, aged, by Daniel Webster...... 4 5 dr
J Davis, blk g Young Dominion, aged, by Harper...... dr
 Time—:54, :55, :57, :57, :56, :56.
Same Day—\$100. Trotting; For 3-minute class. Mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. \$70, 20, 10.
Bart Tomelson, spt g Charley...... 1 1 1
T W Eck, g g Fearless...... 2 2 2
A Penfield, b g Penfield Boy...... 3 3 3
Dr Watson, b m Nettie...... 4 4 4
J Furheller, b m Newmarket Girl...... 5 5 dr
 Time—2:56, 2:48, 2:53.
July 1—\$100. Running; Dominion breeds. Mile heats. \$75, 25.
P Roach, b g 5 yrs, by Rurio, 107 lbs...... 1 1
J Davis, blk g Young Dominion, aged, by Harper, 113 lbs...... 3 2
L Crosland, b m Exility, 5 yrs, by The Tester, 107 lbs...... 2 3
T Rogers, b m Mary Ann Armstrong, aged, by Daniel Webster...... dr
P Brown, b g Barney Brown, aged, by Charon...... dr
S Ashton, b g Farmer, aged, by Capt Buford...... dr
 Time—1:56, 1:54.
Same Day—\$200. Trotting; For 2:35 class. Mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. \$125, 50, 25.
ER Palmer, b h Frank Allison...... 1 1 1
T W Eck, blk g Lookout...... 2 2 2
P Brown, blk m Nettie Irwin...... 3 3 3
 Time—2:50, 2:50½, 2:53.
Same Day—\$100. Trotting; For 2:50 class. Mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. \$70, 20, 10.
Wm Kennedy, Toronto, ch g Avenue Boy...... 1 3 1 2 1
H Giddings, Toronto, b g Silas Rich...... 4 2 4 1 2
J McHughen, b g Sweet William...... 2 1 3 4 4
T Rogers, b m Idaho...... 3 4 2 3 3
T W Eck, g g Fearless...... dr
 Time—2:55, 2:48, 2:52, 2:54, 2:54.

RACING AT TEESWATER.

The inaugural meeting over the Teeswater Driving Park took place on Dominion Day. The sum of \$800 was devoted to races and games. We are under obligations to the secretary for the following summaries of the different events:—
TEESWATER, Ont., July 1—\$70; trotting, mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness; open to all horses. \$40, 20, 10.

M Lapierre's Jean Baptiste. 3 1 1 1
 M Vigueau's Charlie. 1 2 2 2
 M Barbeau's Laprarie Boy. 2 3 3 8
 No time.
Second Race—\$—. Mile heats, 2 in 3.
 Five horses started; three heats were trotted, but the race was easily won by City Boy.
Third Race—This was a walk over for Village Girl, the other two entries being drawn.
Fourth Race—\$250. Trotting; 10 mile dash.
Owner's oh m Village Girl...... 1
F Owen, Policeman...... 2
M Levine, Wicked Jack...... 3
 No time.

Wicked Jack started off with the lead trotting very fast for the distance he had to go, Policeman second, and the Girl bringing up the rear. At 2½ miles Jack went off his feet and was passed by the others, leaving him a head third. When six miles had been trotted Jack put on a spurt and came up on even terms with Village Girl, and stayed with her for a quarter, when he broke, and the Girl forged ahead and passed Policeman. On the 8th mile the peeler came up to the mare and kept her company for about half a mile, when the mare once more showed in front, and came home a good winner by about twenty yards, Wicked Jack being just half a mile in the rear. The track was in capital order, and all the arrangements very complete.

RACING AT ST. JOHNS, (ARVA) ONT.

The good people of St. Johns, near London, held their Dominion Day celebration on Friday last, anticipating by a day the proper date. Among the amusements furnished by the Committee of Management was a number of horse races. The band of the 7th Battalion was in attendance; and, altogether, the day was passed in a very jolly manner. The summaries of the different contests are as follows:—

St. Johns (Arva) Ont, June 30, 1876.—\$35. Trotting; three-quarter mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. Open to all horses owned in London Township that never won public money. \$25, 10.
Owner's Jim Crow...... 1 1 1
Owner's Cricket...... 2 2 2
Owner's Big Sandy...... 3 3 3
 No time.

Same Day.—\$40. Running; for green horses owned in the Township of London that never won public money; three-quarter mile heats, 3 in 5, catch-weights. \$25, 10, 5.
Owner's Little Bill...... 1 1 1
Owner's Sam Weller...... 2 2 2
Owner's Rockwood...... 3 3 3
 No time.
Same Day.—\$50. Trotting; Free for all. Three-quarter mile heats, 3 in 5, in harness. \$30, 15, 5.
L Mahan's Juliet...... 1 1 1
S Young's Lady Young...... 2 2 2
Holt's Black Piper...... 3 3 3
 No time.

Same Day.—Running; Open to all. Three-quarter mile heats, 3 in 5. \$30, 15, 5.
S Doyle's Tempest...... 1 1 1
J Barne's Charlotte B...... 2 2 2
Blackwell & McKellar's Little Maud...... 3 3 3
 No time.

Same Day.—Special Prizes—Scrub race. Last horse in to win.
Owner's Bill Brown (bridle and martingales)..... 1
Owner's J Robson (whalebone whip)..... 2
 No time.
Same Day.—\$—. Consolation.
Owner's Grosshopper...... 1
Owner's Brown Hawk...... 2
 No time.

STRATFORD RACES.

Owing to continued rains the track at Stratford was in such a bad condition and no prospects of improvement for some days, that the Association declared the races off. The Association propose holding a Fall Meeting early in September—probably the first or second week.

large enough for hot weather, but now comes the Indianapolis People and eclipses it, by telling of a Blue Bull colt, twenty-nine days old, which trotted in 2:40. Whow!

Base Ball.

KINGSTON vs. HAMILTON.

The Standards of Hamilton played their first championship game with the St. Lawrence of Kingston at the latter place on Dominion Day. The Standards speak very disparagingly of the Kingston ground as respects playing condition and fencing, being bounded with a picket fence, which reduces the gate money to a minimum. The following is the score:—

ST. LAWRENCE.		STANDARDS.	
o	r	o	r
Foley.....	2 1	Crofton, T.....	1 2
Hallefort.....	0 3	Fairbairn, J.....	1 1
Carson.....	2 1	Collins, J.....	1 0
Lewis.....	3 0	Campbell, W.....	3 0
Ellebak.....	1 1	Myers, J.....	3 0
McComb.....	2 0	Giles, M.....	2 0
Honley.....	2 0	Hermington, J.....	0 0
Leary.....	2 1	Ennis, J.....	2 0
Nutt.....	1 1	McGra.....	2 0
	15 8		15 3
Standard.....	1 0 0 0 2-3		
St. Lawrence.....	3 0 2 3 0-8		

Umpire, W. Nowlan.

GUELPH vs. TORONTO.

The game between the Maple Leafs and Toronto, played at Guelph on Saturday, resulted in a victory for the former by 18 to 8, four innings only being played. The following is the summary:—
Maple Leaf..... 2 5 2 4-13
Toronto..... 1 0 2 0-3
 Umpire—H. Jackson, Toronto B.B.C.

LONDON vs. JACKSON, MICH.

On Saturday the return game was played between the Tecumsehs of London and the Mutuals of Jackson, at London. There was a large crowd to witness the game, and the Canuck nine showed marked superiority over their American visitors. The curve pitching of Goldsmith played havoc with the Mutuals, and the game concluded with a "Chicago" for the American team.

LONDON.		MUTUALS.	
o	r	o	r
Powers o.....	3 2	Lawlor, es.....	4 0
Goldsmith, p.....	3 2	Gillespie, Sb.....	4 0
Latham, lb.....	3 1	Myers, c.....	3 0
Ledwith, sb.....	2 2	Brady, lb.....	3 0
Horning, ss.....	3 0	Tewelliger, p.....	3 0
Gillean, f.....	4 0	Montgomery, r f.....	1 0
Leary, r f.....	4 0	Brandie, 2b.....	3 0
Hunter, c f.....	4 1	Benedict, cf.....	3 0
Dinnon, 2b.....	1 4	Naylor, r f.....	3 0
	27 12		27 0
London.....	3 3 2 0 0 0 2-12		
Jackson.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0		

Runs earned—Tecumseh 2. Struck out—Tecumseh 4; Jackson 10.
 Umpire—T. Branton.

A second game was played between the same clubs on Monday, and again the Mutuals received their full quota of whitewash. The weather was more favorable, and the attendance very large. Naylor, of the Kingston, Ont., last year's nine, pitched for Jackson in this game, Terwilliger going to right field. The following is the score by innings:—
 London.....0 1 0 2 0 4 0-11
 Jackson.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0

OTTAWA vs. OGDENSBURG.—Ogdensburg beat Ottawa on Dominion Day by the following score in innings:—
 Ogdensburg.....2 1 0 4 0 4 2 0 8-16
 Ottawa.....2 1 0 0 2 0 2 0-7

The Swamp Angels of Kemptville beat the Dufferins of Ottawa, at the former place, on Saturday, \$5 to 11.

A pigeon shoot took place at Kemptville on Saturday between six members of the Kemptville Gun Club.
 Hassard.....100-1 Dutton.....011-2
 Taylor.....111-3 Kerr.....111-3
 Kennedy.....110-2 Jones.....101-3
 6 7

NOMENCLATURE.

Judge Rioux.—I claim the name of Judge Rioux for my chestnut gelding, no white marks, foaled June 23, 1871; sired by the old Montreal Black Hawk, dam a Bollaire mare. Judge Rioux is a full brother to Drummer Boy.—FELIX A. LAVIGNE, Montreal, June 12, 1876.

STUD NEWS.—The following foals have been dropped at Rysdyk's Stock Farm, Prescott, Ont., J. P. Wiser, Proprietor: Black colt, two white feet behind, foaled June 6, by Penny Jack, he by Ralf's Maubruno Pilot, dam Lady Fashion, by Long Island Black Hawk; bay colt, foaled June 18, four white feet and ankles, by Rysdyk, dam Fanny, by Easton's Paul Pry; bay colt, foaled June 20, two white heels behind, by Rysdyk, dam Black, pedigree unknown.

Wrestling.

WRESTLING MATCH IN DETROIT.

DETROIT, June 30.—The wrestling match between Col. James McLaughlin, champion of the world, and Jacob Martin, known as Butcher Boy, occurred last night at Whitney's Opera House. After a long discussion, during which the exasperated crowd showed displeasure at the delay, James Caniff was appointed referee, and at 11 o'clock the giants shook hands and grasped collars. Martin at first kept a wary step, and attempted no trips. Then, growing more confident, Martin became the aggressor, and several times McLaughlin reeled about the stage under the powerful play of his antagonist.

In the first bout Martin tried only the outside lock, and tried that ten times, but without jeopardizing McLaughlin much. Mac tried the lock once or twice only, until, at 12:27, the wrestlers mutually released their iron grip and retired for fifteen minutes' rest. This work was kept up for hours, with rests of fifteen minutes. Only once was there anything like a fall, when Martin was forced on his knee, amid wild applause. Six rounds were wrestled, and each time the men parted exhausted. Daylight came and still the gladiators were engaged in terrific struggles. During the last rounds McLaughlin made herculean efforts to get near Martin, but Martin's iron arms kept him back.

At 4:30 a rest of half an hour was announced. The sleepy audience dozed until "time" was called at 5:30. Martin came forward and said he couldn't throw McLaughlin, and McLaughlin acknowledged that he could not throw Martin. Both wanted the match drawn. A wild scene followed. The crowd were on the benches roaring at the top of their voices, "Go on!" "Draw!" "Give up!" The referee called for a division of the audience. Amid the wildest excitement it was decided 10 to 1 to go on with the wrestling. Then Martin and McLaughlin refused to come to time, as they were badly bruised and quite exhausted, each certain that he could not throw the other. The referee decided the match a draw, and all bets off. Derisive yells, cheers, and confusion followed as the crowd left the Opera House.

The combat was terrific. It is doubtful if ever two such splendid conditioned men met in such a severe test before. Martin's splendid arms and chest enabled him to keep at bay even such an athlete as McLaughlin; while the enormous power and dexterity of McLaughlin's legs made certain that once around those of his antagonist a fall must result or a leg break. It was utterly impos-

appeared on Monday.
 Gowan's Opera House, Ottawa, was opened on Wednesday, 6th July, by Messrs. W. son & Co. with Miss Dollie Bidwell as the stellar attraction, supported by Mr. C. H. Clarke.
 Van Amburgh's Circus and Menagerie are slowly moving west.
 Cole's Hippodrome is moving towards Montreal.

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 I hereby certify that I have carefully analysed the samples of "Quinine Wine" submitted to me by Messrs. Kenneth Campbell & Co., with the following result:—

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Miscellaneous.

A fish with four feet, that walks on land, has been discovered in the Rocky Mountains, 8,200 feet above the level of the sea. Specimens have been brought east by Mr. Wilcox, of Middletown, Conn. It uses its legs for fins when in the water.

Messrs. Robson & Wilkinson, on Tuesday last week, lifted from one pound net, near L. Amington, 148 sturgeon. This is the largest lot of sturgeon that has ever been taken on that shore.

A pair of vultures have made their nest on Vulture Mountain, at Guysville, Vt., for years. The other day a party of hunters ascended the mountain, went down a precipice 150 feet by means of a rope, and then bagged four young vultures. The old ones meanwhile soared above them just out of reach of rifle balls.

THE RULING PASSION STRONG IN DEATH—A base ball player named Miller, formerly catcher of the St. Louis Club, died recently in Philadelphia. In his last moments he was delirious, and fancied he was at his place in the ball field facing his old pitcher, Bradley. His last words were: "Two out, Brad—steady now—he wants a high ball—steady, Brad—there, I knew it—that settles it."

The papers are full of reports of feats in chopping, but we question very much whether they can produce anything to surpass that recently accomplished by Mr. Hugh Lemmon, of Ellice. It is no ordinary feat to chop a cord of wood in half an hour, but that is precisely what he did. If any man can beat this work, Mr. Lemmon will be glad to hear from him at the Centennial—*Stratford Beacon*.

The betting on the English Derby this year was lighter than usual, but it is reported that the Messrs. Baltazzi won some \$200,000 from the ring. Lord Roseberry is credited with heavy losses, since in addition to backing his own horses he had money on Petrarch. When collared and beaten by Kisher, Petrarch, says one of the critics, stopped "as dead as a stone." He might have been closer up at the finish had he been ridden out, but it is claimed that he could not have beaten Julius Caesar for third place. Forerunner was second.

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and Miles L. Johnson. The first two days are open to amateurs, and the third day open to the world. Ward, of Canada, alone is barred, and for a reason which is not altogether satisfactory. If Capt. Bogardus wishes to do the neat thing, he will let Ward in. There are two sides to that forfeit suit. For the first shoot, ten single rises, there are five cash prizes, amounting to \$500. For the second shoot the conditions are the same, with the exception that the prizes amount to \$687. The third shoot is for \$1,000, divided into five rises, at twenty single rises. The distance is 21 yards, and the boundaries 80 yards. On the Fourth of July Capt. Bogardus will endeavor to break in two hours and forty minutes 1,000 glass balls thrown up at 25 yards from spring traps or by hand, two balls to be in the air at the same time. The exhibition will be worth seeing.—*Turf*.

Numerous instances of the fidelity of the dog to his master are on record, but we venture to assert that there are none equal to that displayed by the animal of the man whose body was found at Quatta in the early part of last week. The deceased's body was found by the boundary rider, Mr. James Millan, across the trunk of a fallen tree. He was attracted to the spot by the pitiful yelping of the faithful dog. For days, without food or water, the poor beast kept watch over the body, during which it killed fourteen various reptiles, or iguanas, whose carcasses were since discovered near the spot. It fought the birds of prey, and 'though it could not keep off decomposition, it succeeded in keeping the body from being devoured. There was no casting of lots between master and dog to see which should die first to satisfy the cravings of the survivor. When the deceased was buried, the poor animal laid down and died on the newly-made grave. The animal must have gone fourteen days at least without food.

One of the largest herons ever shot in this vicinity was secured lately by Mr. Churchill, of Blenheim, when it was flying over Smith's Creek. It measured 5 feet 8 in., from the toes to the tip of the bill, and from tip to tip of the wings outstretched 6½ feet. It was a male bird, and weighed 6 lbs.

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A NATURAL PHENOMENON—A driver in the employ of Messrs. Bronson & Young, at the Chaudiere, has a curiosity in the shape of a four-legged chicken. Two of the legs are feathered like those of a bantam, and the other two spurred like those of a game bird. It is certainly a curiosity well worth seeing.

RESIGNATION—The Lexington Daily Press has the following item:—"Mr. B. G. Bruce has resigned his position as Secretary of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association. It is said that Mr. Bruce was moved to adopt this course by reason of the adverse comments upon the management of the meeting just closed, the result of which has been so disastrous. It is doubtless placing too much of the burden upon one man's shoulders to lay the whole blame for the failure upon Mr. Bruce, but, upon whomsoever the responsibility rests, it is plain that there was incompetency somewhere, and, perhaps, a change of some, at least, of the officers will be of benefit to the association."

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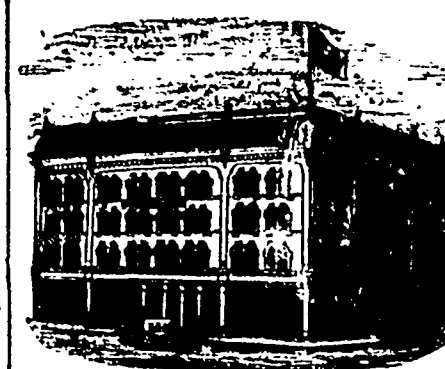
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A NATURAL PHENOMENON.—A driver in the employ of Messrs. Bronson & Young, at the Chaudiere, has a curiosity in the shape of a four-legged chicken. Two of the legs are feathered like those of bantam, and the other two spurred like those of a game bird. It is certainly a curiosity well worth seeing.

RESIGNATION.—The Lexington Daily Press has the following item:—"Mr. B. G. Bruce has resigned his position as Secretary of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association. It is said that Mr. Bruce was moved to adopt this course by reason of the adverse comments upon the management of the meeting just closed, the result of which has been so disastrous. It is doubtless placing too much of the burden upon one man's shoulders to lay the whole blame for the failure upon Mr. Bruce, but, upon whomsoever the responsibility rests, it is plain that there was incompetency somewhere, and, perhaps, a change of some, at least, of the officers will be of benefit to the association."

A STRANGE HEN.

A hen in the possession of Mr. R. Snider, 3rd con. of Brantford, has signalized herself by an extraordinary display of misplaced maternal instinct, or desire to be motherly. A cat around the farm had a litter of kittens a month ago. Before they were able to see, the hen, by some means, succeeded in obtaining the kits from the mother, and took charge of them, sitting upon them in her nest in the barn entry, and nursing them in every way with the fondest care, with the single exception that she cannot suckle them. This the natural parent performs as opportunity permits. In short there seems to be a perfect understanding between the feline natural parent and the strange foster mother. In her solicitude to be kind and keep her four-footed nurslings warm, the hen smothered two of the kittens shortly after getting them under her charge. The kits are now beginning to get old enough to be frolicsome and do not care to remain in the nest, but the motherly old hen still looks after them patiently, but doubtless with even more growing wonder than she would have displayed had she hatched a brood of ducks and seen them launch themselves into the nearest pond.—*Paris (Ont.) Star.*

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 4. Geo. Gibson, St. Catharines, Ont., br h DOUGLAS, by Pelham Tartar, he by the original Toronto Chief, he by old Royal George; dam by Black Prince.
 5. James Addison, Hartman, Ont., b h WARR HULETT, by Woodruff's Columbus, dam by Andrus' Hambletonian; 2nd dam by Green Mountain Morgan.
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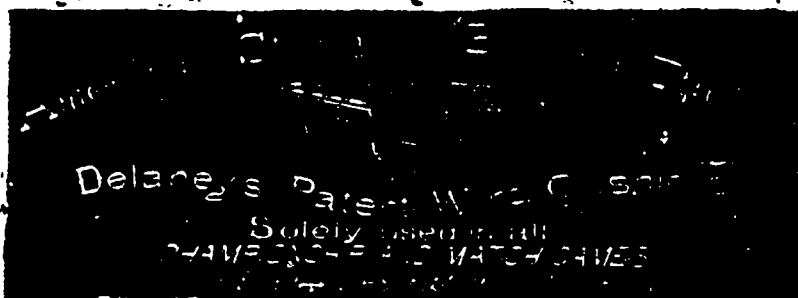
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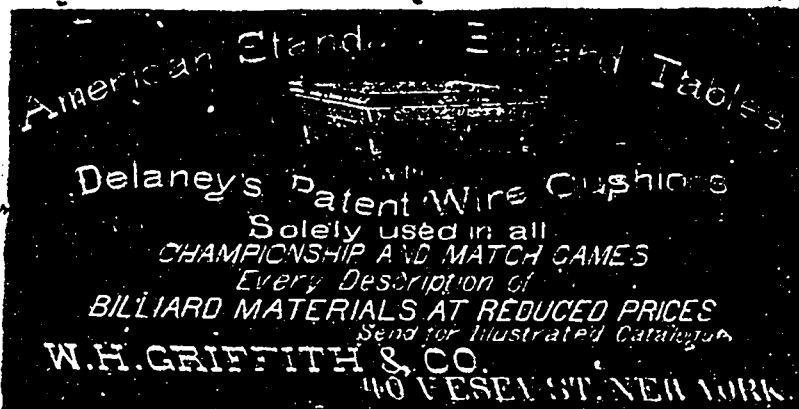
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