

Pringle's English Sporting Letter and Fother's Baseball Gossip page 14, Part II. A SUCCESS. Grand Finale of the Greatest Race Meeting Ever Given at the Homewood Park. HARRY WILKES GOES A FAST MILE.

A Pittsburg Horse Arouses the Enthusiasm of Its Friends by Pacing a Heat in 2:16 3/4.

POOL BELLING SUIT TO BE FOUGHT. The Next Legislature to be Asked to Amend the Gambling Laws.

The meeting at Homewood closed yesterday in a blaze of glory. Six thousand persons were there, and they saw some good races, and what was better yet, a Pittsburg horse, Dallas, owned by Mr. McCormack, a member of the firm of James Lappan & Co., made the fastest mile of any in a race at the meeting in 2:16 3/4. This was a record for a mile in 2:16 3/4. It was announced a howl of joy went up from thousands of throats, and the enthusiasm grew wilder when the Bingham House cup, which was recently won by the sorrel at Philadelphia, together with a purse of \$2,000, was displayed on the judges' stand.

Another notable event was the attempt of Harry Wilkes to break his trotting record of 2:33 1/2, gotten in California. He first went a mile in 2:21 1/2 to warm up, and after a short rest, was started to speed. Harry went to first quarter in 33 1/2, his second quarter was faster yet, as he passed the half mile in 1:05 1/2. He reached the three-quarters in 1:40 1/2, and here was joined by a running horse ridden by a genuine cowboy in the employ of Eaton Bros.

A SNEEDY MILE. The two came down the stretch together, but the runner rode a little too far in advance of the trotter, and his assistance as a speed-urder was not valuable. Wilkes came under the wire in 2:15 3/4. Owing to the softness of the track on the inside the trotter had to keep well out, and it was computed that he had traveled 80 yards over the mile. In that quarter the other officials he failed to break his record. The horse was rewarded with a beautiful wreath of natural flowers.

Mr. Sire, the owner of Wilkes, watched his performance. There is some talk of a match between the horse and Jack, who has a 2:15 record. Mr. Sire is willing to let Wilkes go in a match of this kind for from \$100 to \$200. Wilkes' present condition could not be surpassed. The first race called was the 2:22 trot, but the starters were Grand K. Mamie Woods, Black Hawk, Lang Woods was a favorite in the pools, although Black Hawk's stock came up at the end of the third heat. Mamie Woods took a lead of several lengths in the first heat, but she was overtaken and broken continuously. Mamie Woods won easily by two lengths in 2:20.

AN EASY VICTORY. In the second heat Mamie broke at the start, and again in the third quarter the other two running side by side to the half, when Black Hawk took the lead. Grand R. caught Black Hawk at the head of the stretch, but broke down. He was trotted in in 2:22. Mamie again broke when the third heat was started. Black Hawk ran out to a link and gained a lead of several lengths in the first heat. Grand R. broke badly, but finished second. Black Hawk jockeying home in 2:20 1/2. In the third heat, Grand R. broke in the quarter, but broke badly before he reached the half, when Mamie passed him. Black Hawk broke in the first heat, but Mamie and Mamie were lapped in the first heat, and Mamie broke in the first heat, and Mamie broke in the first heat.

RESULTS AT HOMWOOD. MONMOUTH, July 25.—Results of to-day's races follow: First race, three-quarters of a mile—Volunteer first, reporter second, Tipstaff third, Time, 1:34 1/2. Second race, three-quarters of a mile—Necromancer first, Russell second, Foxford third, Time, 1:36 1/2. Third race, one and six-eighths miles—Barnet first, Grand R. second, Rhono first, Time, 2:30 1/2. Fourth race, one mile—Rhono first, Don second, Diabro third, Time, 1:56.

RESULTS AT SARATOGA. July 26.—Results of to-day's races follow: First race, six furlongs—Granite first, B. K. Milton second, J. W. Lewis third, Time, 1:54 1/2. Second race, five furlongs—Lewiston first, J. W. Lewis second, J. W. Lewis third, Time, 1:50 1/2. Third race, one and one-eighth miles—Lettland first, J. W. Lewis second, J. W. Lewis third, Time, 2:25 1/2. Fourth race, one mile—Lettland first, Belle Dyer second, Hindsocraft third, Time, 1:49 1/2.

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BEAT THE TOM-TOMS, Blare the Trumpets, Sound the Drums, for the Local National LEAGUE CLUB HAS WON A GAME. Gumbert the Second Pitches Great Ball at Recreation Park.

MILLER'S PLAYING QUITE A FEATURE. The WEEK'S ATTENDANCE. A Proposed Race for Stallion Fossils of 1890 to be Troated at Lexington in 1933.

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 26.—The Directors of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' Association met here to-day and decided to offer a stallion representative stake for foals of 1890 worth not less than \$10,000 to winner. They also decided upon a future stake for foals of 1891 to be trotted either in Kentucky or at a syndicate of our owners in this will be the least guaranteed stake ever given. The association is determined to make it possible for a good trotter to earn as much money as a good runner, and in particular, the brilliant work of the younger Gumbert, for when the ninth inning was over, the local aggregation had one more run scored than their opponents from Beaton.

WHERE CLARKSON FAILED. In the third inning Pop Smith managed to get a hit for the first time in his career. He pitched wild and roared on Long's sacrifice. In the fourth Gumbert was found by the visitors for the first and last time, three hits and two earned runs being scored, tying the score, which remained in this condition for several innings.

THE WINNING RUN. In the eighth, after two men had got very easily, Miller made a neat single and stole second. He was followed through the bases by a double which was pitched to him by Gumbert, who declared him safe as a triple. The Roque then secured the only base on balls credited against Clarkson, and Berger hit for two bases, sending Miller across the plate with the all-important run. Hecker retired the side. In Boston, Sullivan got to first on balls, but quit on Roque's life, who was in turn retired by Gumbert. The other two men were left standing to Miller, whose fielding throughout was the feature of the contest.

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A PITCHERS' BATTLE. Great Baseball at Exposition Park Yesterday Afternoon. THE BOSTONS HAD TO HUSTLE. Fine Rally of the Local Players in the Ninth Inning.

THE OTHER BROTHERHOOD GAMES. THE WEEK'S ATTENDANCE. A Proposed Race for Stallion Fossils of 1890 to be Troated at Lexington in 1933.

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CONGRESSIONAL DEBATE. If It Were Not White as It is Because It May Change Opinion. Harper's Weekly.

As the legitimate object of debate is possible, debate implies, necessarily, a possible change of opinion, consequently the majority of to-day upon any important question of expediency cannot be sure that it will be the majority of to-morrow. A Representative may be a Republican in the sense of conviction of the soundness of the protective principle. But it does not follow that he must therefore approve every scheme of a high protective tariff. Whether a Republican or not, a Representative may favor free and free elections.

HOW TO TREAT A SWEETHEART. The Parties Won't Be Still Good Way to Keep a Helpmate. From an Old New England Sermon Book.

Don't let him believe that you think so highly of him as he thinks of himself. Don't let him think that you are going to drive with him alone, even if your mother should be lenient enough to permit it. Don't let him think that you are going to the dance or frolic with him, even if your mother should be lenient enough to permit it.

MISCELLANEOUS SPORTS. GAUDAUR WON THE RACE. John Teemer was Second in the Duluth Scull Contest.

A FAMOUS ST. BERNARD DOG. He Stands 34-1/2 Inches From the Shoulders Down, and Tips the Beam at 265.

SCULLING ON THE RIVER. Lee Cavitt was the Columbia Club Sculler in a Working Boat Race.

A Match for Weir. NEW ORLEANS, July 26.—The Olympic Club last night wired Lee Weir, the "Belfast Spider," asking if he would accept a contest of \$10,000 for a year's term.

SPORING NOTES. DAUNTLESS, the well-known sire, was once sold for \$500. KING KELLY took in the races at Homewood yesterday.



THE WEATHER. FOR WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA AND WEST VIRGINIA: WARMER AND FAIR WEATHER SUNDAY AND MONDAY, SOUTHWESTLY WINDS.

RIVER INTELLIGENCE. Yesterday eclipsed every previous day this summer for dullness about the wharves. The only business conducted on the levee was by the Monongahela packers. The pier mark showed 6 feet of water in the pool, with a tendency to fall. At Davis Island there was 2 feet 6 inches above the pier.

River Telegrams. CINCINNATI—River 6 feet 11 inches and falling. ALLEGHENY JUNCTION—River 4 inches and stationary. CINDY and Cool. Thermometer, 81.

Why the Baby Was Not Named Imogen. "Papa," said the young mother, "I've decided on a name for baby; we will call her Imogen."

Naming Railroad Stations. The Pennsylvania Railway Company is said to keep a man busy in naming and re-naming stations.

We Take Pleasure in Stating That the Pure Eight-Year-Old EXPORT WHISKY. That we are selling in full quart at \$1.00 per dozen is getting a reputation for being a Medical Family Whisky that has no equal.

Joseph Fleming & Son, DRUGGISTS, PITTSBURGH, PA. 177-7288.

AH, THERE, CHARLEY! Which way? Off for the seashore? "Yes, but not until the evening train. I am now my way to see Dickson, the tailor, to have his suit made in good shape for the trip. Nothing like looking well, you know. So long old boy. Dickson, 65 Fifth avenue, corner Wood street, second floor. Telephone 1544. Must be made to order. M. Anker, cutter, formerly of New York City. 1717.