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SUBURBAN RUN TO-DAY.

IT SEEMS AN OPEN RACE.

Twenty-three Candidates for the Handicap—Goldsmith Favorite.

The Suburban Handicap, the most popular, if not the oldest, racing fixture in the turf calendar, will be run this afternoon at the beautiful Sheepshead Bay course, and will formally mark the opening of the Coney Island Jockey Club's spring meeting.

Possibly never before in the history of the handicap, dating back over a score of years, has its complexion undergone a greater change in so short a time, or its result left in greater doubt after it had been practically conceded months beforehand to one candidate.

Until Hermis was beaten, once by Dublin, Water Boy and Herbert, if a handicap at a mile and a sixteenth, and a second time in the mud by the three-year-old River Pirate over the same distance, the race was thought by the best informed turfmen to be at the colt's mercy, and even in the future books he was held at a most conservative figure.

All that is changed now, however, and although Hermis undoubtedly will have a following this afternoon, should he start, the handicap no longer seems to be his for the mere asking, and it is not likely that he will be a post favorite.

That Mr. Thomas will make every effort to win with his high priced candidate was emphasized yesterday when he bought from L. V. Bell the contract existing between the broker and Rice, the jockey. This will enable Mr. Thomas to put the jockey who understands Hermis better than any other rider up this afternoon, and if any one can win with him it is admitted that Rice can. Hermis will carry 125 pounds, top weight, and will have to concede in actual weight all the way from five pounds to Major Dainingerfeld to thirty-eight pounds to Intjunction.

There are twenty-one candidates in the entry list that was given out by the Coney Island Jockey Club last night, and it is thought that at least eighteen of these will start.

Messrs. Whitney and Durvea, who race in the name of the Westbury Stable will start their three-year-old colt, Irish Lad, the winner of the Brooklyn Handicap, and although the colt will have to take up 115 pounds, a crushing impost for a three-year-old meeting, it is not likely that he will be a post favorite.

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Besides Irish Lad there are three other three-year-olds all likely to start, and all with a chance of carrying 125 pounds, and will be ridden by Fuller, Yardarm is in with 96 pounds, and may be ridden by McCafferty, and Intjunction, who has 99 pounds, with Waugh up. The other candidates...

GETAWAY AT GRAVESEND.

Duke of Kendal Wins Stake—Proper Beats Shorthose.

The three-year-old colt Shorthose, who won this year's Withers at Morris Park in a manner which entitled him to a high place among the thoroughbreds of his age, was defeated yesterday at Gravesend in an overnight handicap at a mile and a sixteenth, and his defeat was as lamentable as his former victory was creditable.

This flashy handsome son of the imported Atheling is no longer the same colt either in looks or in deeds who impressed the racing public so favorably at the Westchester enclosure. A month ago his name was linked with that of Meltonian, Africanador, Irish Lad and other three-year-old aristocrats. After his performance yesterday he was spoken of as a cripple, and another promising race horse that had gone wrong. Time only can verify or refute these estimates, but the colt will have to earn his way with hard work back to the esteem in which he was once held. It was his first appearance since his triumph in the Withers, and although the Goughaeres Stable also was represented by the five-year-old horse, which defeated Hermis two weeks ago, Captain Presgrave chose Shorthose to carry the purple jacket, and the other horse was withdrawn. The colt's coronets were painted with iodine, and both in his preliminary gallop and in his race he showed by his action the need for some such potent counter-irritant. He seemed sore and quite unable to get into his former stride.

His former trainer, Dublin and Bar Le Due had declined the engagement there were left Shorthose, 115 pounds; River Pirate, 111; Proper, 104; Philadelphia, 100; Dr. Saylor, 95, and Tugal Bey, 88. The Philadelphia colt opened favorite at 7 to 5, but went back to 10 to 1 in his usual fashion at the start, and he was only a flash in the pan, and he soon dropped into fourth place, where he remained for the rest of the journey.

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GRAVESEND WINNING OWNERS.

Whitney and Durvea Head the List—O'Neil First of the Jockeys.

For the third time in succession, the Whitney family held the list of winning owners at the end of a meeting. Harry Payne Whitney and H. B. Durvea, who with Irish Lad and Winstler in three starts, \$2,000 in stakes, Captain S. S. Brown, who is second on the list, has only three races to his credit, and all the money has been won by two horses, Broomstick, in the Great American and Expectation Stakes, and the two-year-old Rusk, in an overnight purse race, August Belmont, who had two winners and two seconds at the meeting, stands third. A list of owners who won sums of \$2,000 or more follows.

Table with columns: Name, First, Second, Third, Winnings. Lists names like Westbury Stable, S. S. Brown, August Belmont, etc.

SAVABLE WINS DERBY TRIAL.

Judge Himes Makes Strong Finish—Results at Harlem.

Chicago, June 17.—The Derby Trial Stake at Harlem to-day furnished one of the most sensational finishes of the year. Savable, Linguist and Judge Himes in a fierce drive that began at the head of the stretch came under the wire as named, barely heads apart. Savable, the American Derby favorite, held first at 1 to 2 in the race and was the favorite.

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TRAVIS AND FREEMAN PLAY IN FOUR GOLF.

Travis and Freeman Play in Four Ball Matches.

Two interesting four ball matches were played yesterday at the Montclair Golf Club links. Walter J. Travis and W. C. Freeman figuring in each. In the morning W. J. Travis and Paul Wilcox played against W. C. Freeman and T. Reid, and beat them by 1 up, and in the afternoon Travis and E. A. Freeman played against Howard A. Colby and W. C. Freeman, and beat them by 5 up and 3 to 7, and of the afternoon match 75 and 81. Individually Travis did the best work in each match, doing a 75 and a 78. The result of the morning match was:

Table with columns: Name, Score. Lists names like Walter J. Travis, Garden City, etc.

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Freeman and Reid 4 5 4 5 4 4 4 4 40-10
Paul Wilcox, Montclair:
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W. C. Freeman, Montclair:
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Eighty-one entries have been received for the Morris County Golf Club, which begins this morning with an eighteen hole qualifying round, with a first and second round to qualify.

ARDLEY CLUB TO HOLD TOURNAMENT.

The Ardley Club has decided to hold a thirty-six hole medal play handicap tournament on Saturday, open to members of the clubs of the Hudson River Golf Association. The club offers cups for first and second net scores, and there will be a prize for the lowest gross score. Entries should be sent to Harry Holbrook, Ardley Club, Ardley-on-Hudson, N. Y., and must contain the player's name, club and handicap at his home club. The players of the Ardley Club will receive the regular club handicap, and handicaps of other entrants will be adjusted. The management of the tournament will be in the hands of the sports committee of the Ardley Club or its representatives, whose decision will be final. Play will be started at 10 a. m., and no player will be allowed to start his first round after 2 p. m. United States Golf Association rules will govern the play, except where they may conflict with the local rules. Entrants will receive the privileges of the clubhouse and course from June 17 to 20, inclusive. This is the first tournament of its sort that has been extended to the association.

RECEIVER'S SALE.

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LACROSSE.

English University Players Win from Harvard by Score of 7 to 5. Cambridge, Mass., June 17 (Special).—In the international lacrosse game at Cambridge to-day, between the team of English university players, from Cambridge and Oxford, and Harvard, the visitors won in a close and exciting game by the score of 7 to 5.

TO SELL BUFFALO RACETRACK.

A receiver's sale of the Buffalo Racing Association's property will take place June 27, at the Buffalo Real Estate Exchange room, No. 210 Pearl St., Buffalo, N. Y.

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HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

ELEGANT TURNOUT—Sorel horse, rubber tired run about harness, rope, whip, complete \$200.00. gam. DB GRAY, Palisades Park, N. Y.