

THROUGH AT OPENING OF RACING SEASON

Lively Sport Provided for Enthusiasts at Hewlett's Bay Park.

ROCKAWAY CUP A THRILLING CONTEST

Mr. Von Stade Pilots Octette to Smart Victory—Minor Misses.

Racing was welcomed with open arms by New York and Long Island lovers of the sport at the amateur meeting of the Rockaway Hunt Club at Hewlett's Bay Park yesterday.

The one that stood out from all the others and perhaps one of the most thrilling seen at the amateur meetings in many years was the Rockaway Cup, at about noon and a half miles over the hunters' course.

Long before the finish the crowd was upon its toes and cheering wildly as the amber and black silks on Octette moved to the front.

Mr. Von Stade scored his first victory in the two and a half miles chase over the brush course for the Hewlett Park Plate.

It was in this race that the only fall that marred the jumping races occurred. On the second time around Kara, ridden by Karl Whittendale and owned by Peter Hauck, Jr., took off too far at the liverpool.

Mr. Whittendale was badly shaken up in addition to having the muscles of his right shoulder wrenched.

Failure to take the last jump cost Adventress the Cedarhurst cup and the purse in the two-mile chase over the brush course.

The card closed with a six-furlong handicap for the Piping Rock Superscription three-year-olds.

Among those seen on the grounds were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Iselin, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Iselin and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. Butler Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Haight, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin P. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Lyttleton Fox, John D. Crammings, the Misses Crammings, Mr. and Mrs. Julian L. Penhoby, Mrs. Thomas Hitecock, Miss Helen Hitecock, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Z. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. George Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Miller, Miss Hopeton Atterbury, Mrs. James A. Roosevelt and Mrs. Robert Turnbull.

Society Out in Force for Hunt Club Races

Gathering Remarkable for Number of Engaged Couples—Many Luncheon Parties Before Horses Paraded.

Ideal weather favored the races held under the auspices of the Rockaway Hunt Club yesterday afternoon, at Hewlett Bay Park, and society, especially the Long Island set, turned out in large numbers.

The younger set was extensively represented, and more engaged couples were seen than ever before noticed before at a race meet.

Miss Catherine Hammersley and her fiancé, Samuel Neilson Hinckley, whose engagement was announced last month, were also in attendance, as were Miss Jane W. Robinson and Lydig Hoyt, who are to be married on June 3 in St. George's Church, Stuyvesant Square, and Miss Ursula Brown and her fiancé, Edmund S. Twining, Jr.

Several luncheon parties were given previous to the races at the Rockaway Hunt Club, at Cedarhurst. Among those who entertained were Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Anson W. Hard, Schuyler L. Parsons, Miss Mal Watson, Frederick T. Frelinghuysen, Dr. William B. Anderson, Miss Dorothy Anderson, Dr. and Mrs. Preston Satterwhite, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordon Douglas, Lawrence Butler, Samuel Walsh, George

POLICE COMMISSIONER WOODS FIRING GUN TO START BIG MARATHON RUN AND PART OF FIELD JUST AFTER BREAKING AWAY



Amateur Race Meet Summary

FIRST RACE—GALLOWAY HANDICAP, purse, \$100, and cup valued at \$50. One-half mile.

Horse and age. Wt. Jockey. Fin. Calverton, 3, 120, Mr. A. Walker, 12. Jack Cade, 4, 110, Mr. Hubley, 23.

SECOND RACE—THE HEWLETT PARK PLATE, for hunters, purse, \$200, and plate valued at \$300. About two miles and a half over brush course.

Horse and age. Wt. Jockey. Fin. Gold Plate, 4, 120, Mr. Von Stade, 1. Ben Cabell, 4, 120, Mr. Page, 23.

THIRD RACE—For hawks and hunters, purse, \$50, and plate valued at \$300. About a mile and a quarter on the flat.

Horse and age. Wt. Jockey. Fin. Johnnie B., 4, 120, Mr. J. Tucker, 12. Absconder, 4, 120, Mr. T. Wright, 23.

FOURTH RACE—THE CEDARHURST CUP, for four-year-olds and special, purse, \$50, and plate valued at \$100. About two miles over the brush course.

Horse and age. Wt. Jockey. Fin. Octette, 4, 120, Mr. Von Stade, 1. Torador, 4, 120, Mr. C. Appleton, 23.

FIFTH RACE—THE ROCKAWAY CUP, for hunters, purse, \$50, and plate valued at \$100. About two miles over the brush course.

Horse and age. Wt. Jockey. Fin. Babba, 4, 120, Mr. J. Tucker, 12. Bombay, 4, 120, Mr. P. Bennett, 23.

SIXTH RACE—PIPING ROCK SUPERSSCRIPTION SELLAL HANDICAP, for three-year-olds, purse, \$50, and plate valued at \$100. Six furlongs.

Horse. Wt. Jockey. Fin. Babba, 4, 120, Mr. J. Tucker, 12. Bombay, 4, 120, Mr. P. Bennett, 23.

How Leaders Finished in Big Modified Marathon Run

The leaders in the Evening Mail modified Marathon run of 13 miles 20 yards through the city streets yesterday were as follows:

Table with columns: Runner, Club, Time. H. Kolehmainen, Irish-Am. A. C., 1:09:00. J. Malar, Unattached, 1:12:52.

Kolehmainen Triumphs in Modified Marathon

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ever, was loath to forfeit his position, and, waving his arms about, he went at the Patterson boy. In half a mile Strobo was in front again.

Rounding the turn at 57th st., climbing the hill to Seventh ave., which Kolehmainen raced over easily, both Smith and Strobo slowed down a little, and Kyronen, followed by several others, gained a little.

Smith led ground in the last two miles of the race. He ran more on his grit than on strength. Strobo tried

POINT TROPHY TO MERCERSBURG TEAM

Poly Prep. Gets Third Place in Stevens Interscholastic Track Meet.

The track team of Mercersburg Academy won the point trophy at the annual interscholastic track and field games of Stevens Institute on Castle Point Field in Hoboken yesterday.

The Pennsylvania boys had a count of 25 points, taking two first places. The Central High School, of Newark, which had only three athletes on hand, was fourth, with 5 points.

Over two hundred boys took part in the competition, but the eleven events were strung out to keep the spectators in their seats until dusk.

The summaries follow: Putting 12-pound shot—Won by Howard Catin, High School of Commerce, with 47 feet 5 1/2 inches, second, G. A. Mark, Mercersburg Academy, with 43 feet 5 1/2 inches, third, H. L. Leck, Newark, with 42 feet 10 inches.

One-half mile run—Won by E. Garlock, Bloomfield H. S., with 1:10.50, second, C. Allen, Central H. S., Newark, third, A. Swabowski, Mercersburg Academy, fourth, Time, 4:48.25.

100-yard dash (final heat)—Won by E. Gardner, Mercersburg Academy, second, G. Goldberger, Newark Academy, third, H. Berk, Newark Academy, fourth, Time, 2:09.5.

400-yard run (final heat)—Won by K. Atha, Central H. S., Newark, with 1:10.50, second, G. Bronza, Poly Prep, with 1:15.75, third, H. Leck, Newark, fourth, Time, 2:39.

One-mile relay race—Won by Morris H. S., with Schulman, Newark, with Archa, Angus, Schaefer and Krueger, second, Dickinson H. S., Jersey City, with Britton, Newark Academy, with Goldberger, Hopwood, Tillingham and Newark, fourth, Time, 5:39.

Running broad jump—Won by Eddie Carroll, Bryant H. S., with 21 feet 70-100 inches; J. Gardner, Central H. S., second; E. Wadsworth, Mercersburg Academy, third, Wadsworth, Newark H. S., Newark, fourth.

Point score—Mercersburg Academy, 27 1/2; Central High School, Newark, 23; Poly Prep, Brooklyn, 13 1/2; High School of Commerce, N. Y. City, 5.

Upper Montclair Country Club

There was a ball acceptance at the Upper Montclair Country Club yesterday in which the leader was S. Armstrong, with a card of 88.15. The following returned cards:

HIGH SCHOOL GAME WINDS UP IN ROW

Umpire Awards Contest to Manual When Bushwick Refuses to Play.

GOOSE-EGGS LOT OF DE WITT CLINTON

Pawling Defeats Commerce in Close Battle and Morris Humbles Evander Childs.

BOROUGH PRESIDENT PITCHES IN PINCH

Marks Throws Out Ball and Municipal League Season Opens.

Marcus M. Marks, President of the Borough of Manhattan, is a versatile man. He cannot only rule the destinies of a borough but also those of a baseball game.

Mr. Marks threw out the first ball in place of Mayor Mitchell, who was busy with the mourners' parade in front of the building where John D. Rockefeller, Jr., keeps his oil stock.

Mr. Marks threw out the diamond between the beneficiaries of the civil service law. Billy was the man supposed to catch the initial toss.

Gilbert caught the borschie with ease and grace and the Cathedral Band, hired for the occasion by the income tax method, played a tune that had a striking resemblance to the "Star-Spangled Banner."

It might be well to mention here that the contending teams were those representing the offices of the Borough President of Manhattan and the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

At that, however, Stanley had the better of the Columbia batsmen while he lasted, because in his tenure on the mound the Columbians got only six hits while Wesleyan was touching up Shea for eight.

Columbia, on the other hand, fielded with only one miscue. Incidentally, the Blue and White pulled off two surprising double plays that settled the hopes of the Methodists.

Shea and Roseff, Columbia's international battery, collaborated for Columbia's first run, in the second inning. Roseff was safe on a fluke hit that bounced off Stanley's shins, and Shea put him across with a three-bagger.

Columbia came to time again in the fifth, when Page reached second on an error, took third on an out by Friedrich and scored on a rap by Gretsch, which was held to the plate by E. Winchester, the ball being just a trifle high, however, for a put-out.

Columbia's final runmaking took place in the seventh, after Wesleyan had scored its only run of the game. Watt was hit by Stanley, and Hann singled. Both runners scored when Page doubled.

The score follows: COLUMBIA, 1; WESLEYAN, 8. Total, 9 runs, 10 hits, 2 errors.

WILLIAMS WINS ON TRACK

Shriver Boosts Team by Capturing the Mile Run.

Williamstown, Mass., May 2.—Without a particle of effort Williams sent the Wesleyan track team down to defeat here this afternoon in the annual dual meet.

The Purple made a clean sweep of the half-mile and pole vault and scored eight points in the 440-yard run, 100-yard dash and 225-yard hurdles.

Shriver nosed out Potter in the one-mile run, which was the prettiest race of the afternoon, by a scant five yards. The time was 4:29.25. Although Great of Williams, led in the two-mile run, for the first two laps, he was outdistanced at the finish by Cashman, of Wesleyan, who was timed in 10 minutes 20.3 seconds.

HORSES HAVE THEIR DAY ON SPEEDWAY

Road Drivers Parade and Show Bring Out One Hundred Entries.

DOUBLE RUNAWAY AT EXCITING FEATURE

Little Girls Wander in with C and Dog and Take Novelty Prizes.

History forgot itself yesterday and turned back a page for the fifteenth annual parade and show of the Road Drivers' Association of New York.

Not once in the career of that organization has the Speedway witnessed such a turnout of horses and humanity for the gala day of the year—certainly not, at least, since interest in horsethew was in its heyday hereabouts.

By the greatest of good fortune that might have resulted in a fatal accident was averted in the middle of the programme, when Doris B., a black mare, owned by Dr. H. F. Nimphius, ran away and tore down the Speedway for nearly a mile, whirling through the throng of horses and people in front of the grandstand, and bringing up with a crash against the speed wagon drawn by Billy Barlow.

This started the second horse off and the two raced for five or six blocks before being brought up by Mounted Policemen Harry Chase. No one was seriously hurt, although George Allen, who was with Billy Barlow, was tossed out and his head badly shaken up.

The start of Doris B.'s tempestuous flight was caused by the breaking of the front wheel of the speed wagon, in which she was pulling George Nimphius, a brother of the owner, Nimphius, was thrown out, and the broken frame, falling on Doris B.'s heels, frightened her and she set off at a mad pace down the Speedway.

She had a half mile to run before reaching the grandstand and nearly everybody had a chance to flee for shelter. Allen, with Billy Barlow, was just south of the grandstand and was making desperate efforts to reach the curb, when Doris B. veered and hit Allen's rig, a glancing blow that spilled him.

Close the policeman had started after Doris B., and the second accident gave him a chance to bring himself almost on even terms with her. For five blocks he raced after the two horses, and after grabbing Billy Barlow he kept on and seized the flying reins of the other runaway. He was roundly cheered when he brought the pair back to the stand.

After the crowd had settled back from this thrill the judging was on undisturbed until the novelty class was reached, when a post entry, or, rather, a pair of post entries, nearly sent the spectators into hysterics. Just as the entries were about to be closed all eyes were turned on a solemn procession, consisting of a twelve-year-old girl urging on a colt that had just passed the bottle stage and a smaller girl with a nondescript dog on the leash.

The colt had his mane tied up in ribbons and sported a new saddle cloth. The judge and clerk sat earnestly at the quarter, and then Dr. H. F. Feister, the marshal, asked the girls whether they were entered for the novelty prize. They said they weren't, but they'd just as soon be, and in another minute they were in line.

The blue ribbon went to Mrs. M. Happe, with Kinney McGregor, in a roose-decked rig; the red ribbon to Eddie C. the hitherto unnamed colt, and his owner, Miss Muriel Marshall, and the yellow went to Taft, the nondescript dog, whose owner is Miss Catherine McCabe, ten years old.

Billy Barlow, the sorrel gelding which was in the mix-up with Doris B., carried off the blue in the class for post entries to road wagons after a close contest with speed wagons after a close contest with road wagons.

William Scott's Eva Tangany, second, and last gave the honor to the Gilmore horse and the red to Eva Tangany.

The summaries follow: Class 1 (trotters or pacers, stallions to speed wagons)—Won by M. P. Kearns's Warren J. Potter, with Mrs. M. Happe's second, Mrs. M. Happe's Grattan, third.

Class 2 (trotters, mares or geldings to road wagons)—Won by J. Gilmore's Billy Barlow; William Scott's Eva Tangany, second; I. V. Hunt's Emily H., third.

Class 3 (trotters or pacers, geldings to road wagons or runabouts)—Won by W. J. O'Neill's Armadillo; R. O. Currie's Paddy C., second; Dr. H. F. Feister's early third.

Class 4 (pacers, mares or geldings to speed wagons)—Won by M. Fullam's Hurdles; William Scott's Eva Tangany, second; William Scott's Louis E., third.

Class 5 (pacers, mares or geldings to road wagons)—Won by J. Gilmore's Billy Barlow; Chester W. Wilson's Bonner, second; William Minor's Hiram Abiff, third.

Class 6 (trotters or pacers, stallions to road wagons or runabouts)—Won by William Love's Sidney Patchem; J. Gilmore's Exultant, second; William Helfrich's Sir Thomas.

Class 7 (novelty, any hitch wagon and horse decorated)—Won by Mrs. M. Happe's Kinney McGregor; Mrs. M. Happe's Eddie C., second; Miss C. McCabe's Taft, third.

Class 8 (trotters or pacers, stallions to road wagons)—Won by N. J. Bennett's Morris Praction and Dulce Praction; E. Carpenter's Tommy Barron and Bonnie Barron, second; G. Harrington's Alice J. and Alfonso O., third.

Class 9 (trotters or pacers, stallions to road wagons)—Won by A. S. Goble's Silver H. Brewer's Bob, second; D. S. Morrison's Jack, third.

Class 10 (one-year-olds to carts)—Won by R. J. Allen's Little Smith's Tipsy Rose, second; R. Allen's Jack Wiggins, third.

FORDHAM NINE VICTORS

Martin Stars in Pitchers' Battle Against Colgate Team.

In a close and well played game the Fordham nine defeated the Colgate baseball team yesterday afternoon on Fordham Field by a score of 5 to 2.

The game was much tighter than the score would indicate and in the early innings developed into a pitchers' duel between Martin, who has come to be regarded as the Maroons' most formidable box man, and Hicks, a former Fordham Prep, twirler.

The score follows: FORDHAM, 5; COLGATE, 2. Fordham: 1. Left on base—Fordham, 5; Colgate, 0. 2. Glending, 10; 3. Corral, 6; 4. Abel, 1; 5. Kierman, 2; 6. Johnson, 1; 7. McNeil, 2; 8. Stuart, 1; 9. McNeil, 2; 10. Sifton, 1; 11. Mack, 1; 12. Johnson, 2; 13. Mack, 1; 14. McNeil, 1; 15. Johnson, 1; 16. Johnson, 1; 17. Johnson, 1; 18. Johnson, 1; 19. Johnson, 1; 20. Johnson, 1.