LORD HARRY GOT THE STAKE.

FONSO'S SON RUNS A VERY CREDITABLE MILE ON THE GRASS.

Bookmakers Get Some Pretty Hard Knocks at Sheepshead Bay—Sam Wood in the Selling Race Was the Surprise of the Day—Drizzle, Bobby Beach, and Demuth in Winning Form—Entries for To-day.

A fair-sized crowd saw six races, including the Woodcock Stakes for two-year-olds at a mile, decided yesterday afternoon at Sheepshead Bay, the event of the day going to Lord Harry, a very handsome colt by Fonso, out of Fun.

The talent again made it warm for the bookmakers, the favorite, winning the first, second, third, and fifth races, and the bookmaker who quit the track yesterday with a balance on the right side of his sheet was extremely fortunate. In the Woodcock Stakes, the public would back nothing but Lord Harry to win, that colt's strong second to Strathmeath in the Partridge Stakes not being forgotten. Garrison placed him in the middle of the bunch until they were straightened out for home, when he went through like a flash and won in a hard gallop. Woodcutter was second, and the Hearst colt Algernon third. Drizzle carried nearly all the money in the opening event, and he won in a romp, with Arundel second. McLaughlin rode Madstone out to the very last ounce, but the 132 pounds appeared to anchor the brown colt, and third was the best that he could do. Bobby Beach was played all over the ring to win the third event for three-year-old olds over the Futurity course, and that clever son of Faustus took the lead at the start, and was never headed, winning hands down. Phœbe was played pretty well for the place at very long odds, and, ridden out, she beat Veronica a neck for that honor. The selling race at a mile and a furlong was a surprise, Sam Wood at a long price winning cleverly from old Blackthorn, while Birthday was third. Little Jim, the favorite, made up a lot of ground after getting off badly. Demuth simply had a picnic in the handicap at a mile and three-sixteenths, none of the others being able to make him run. There was quite a plunge on Wilfred, and the Western contingent thought Al Farrow could do the trick. Neither was dangerous, Stockton and Rizpah being second and third respectively at the end. Young Duke was a steady favorite for the race over the turf, but he was not prominent, Benedictine, the second choice, winning, with Frank Ward second and Lela May third.

THE FIRST RACE.

Arundel made the running from the start, with Drizzle and Madstone in close attendance, and Kingstock last. Drizzle was under a big pull until the head of the stretch, where he passed Arundel at will, and when hands down by two lengths, McLaughlin punished Madstone in the endeavor to overhaul Arundel, but the big gelding had lots of speed and secured the place by a length and a half.

Sweepstakes for three-year-olds and upward of $15 each, with $1,000 added, of which $250 to second and $100 to the third; one mile.

Nesch Bros.' b. c. Drizzle, 3, by Ventilator—Mag, 115 (Taral)..... 1
J. N. Brown & Co.'s b. g. Arundel, aged, 126 (Hayes).. 2
Empire Stable's br. c. Madstone, 4, 132 (J. McLaughlin)..... 3
Kyrie B. and Kingstock also ran.
Time, 1:45¾.

Betting—Against Drizzle, 7 to 5; Madstone, 2 to 1; Kyrie B., 3 to 1; Arundel, 5 to 1; Kingstock, 100 to 1. Mutuals paid $17.25, $16.10, $14.85.

THE WOODCOCK STAKES.

Mr. Caldwell secured a beautiful start at the first attempt, getting the field away on almost exactly even terms. Lord Harry and Woodcutter led the first to the half, while Algernon was last. Garrison took Lord Harry in hand going round the lower turn, and Lambley rushed Lizzie to the front and made the running up the backstretch, with Woodcutter, the Sequence colt, and Thorndale the most prominent of the others, rounding the upper turn, Lambley began riding Lizzie in earnest, and Woodcutter challenged her at the head of the stretch, at which point Garrison moved up with the favorite, but was shut off and had to pull up. A hundred yards further, however, there was a small opening between Lizzie and Woodcutter, and Garrison rushed Lord Harry through in a twinkling, and had the field beaten in a trice, coming on at a gallop, and beating Woodcutter a length and a half for the money. Algernon, a rank outsider, came very fast in the stretch, and finished third at Woodcutter's saddlekirts.

The Woodcock Stakes for two-year-olds; a sweepstakes of $25 each, with $1,500 added, of which $250 to the second and $150 to the third; one mile on turf.

R. P. Cadiz's b. c. Lord Harry, by Fonso—Fun, 118 (Garrison)..... 1
J. A. Batchelor's ch. c. Woodcutter, 118 (Taral)..... 2
Geo. Hearst's ch. c. Algernon, 118 (G. Covington)..... 3
Thorndale, Lizzie Zender, Grey Rock, Lady Washington, and Sequence also ran.
Time, 1:44 1-5.

Betting—On Lord Harry, 10 to 9; Thorndale and Woodcutter, each 4 to 1; Lizzie and Lady Washington, each 15 to 1; Grey Rock, Lizzie Zender, 30 to 1; Sequence colt, 40 to 1; Algernon, 60 to 1. Mutuals paid $10.30, $6.20, $3.05.

THE THIRD RACE.

Bobby Beach went through at the start, and, making all the running, he was never approached, winning by two lengths, with Magee looking around in the saddle. Phœbe, under the whip, beat Veronica a neck for place honors.

For three-year-olds, a sweepstakes of $15 each, with $1,000 added, of which $250 to the second, and $100 to the third; Futurity course, about three-quarters of a mile.

A. M. Brown & Co.'s ch. c. Bobby Beach, by Faustus—Bonnie Bruce, 112 (Magee)..... 1
Yale Stable's ch. f. Phœbe, 105 (Lambley)..... 2
Ed Brown's b. f. Veronica, 112 (Garrison)..... 3
Lady Jane colt, Costa Rica, Longshore, Gertie D., Foxmede, and Robespierre also ran.
Time, 1:15¾.

Betting—On Bobby Beach, 5 to 2; against Veronica, 5 to 1; Phœbe, 10 to 1; Costa Rica, Foxmede, and Robespierre, each 12 to 1; Gertie D., 15 to 1; Lady Jane colt, 20 to 1; Longshore, 30 to 1. Mutuals paid 7.95, $6.75, $26.50.

THE FOURTH RACE.

Rover got away in the van and for seven furlongs he cut out the work, with Blackthorn and Sam Wood in close attendance. When well squared away for home, Sam Wood and Blackthorn drew out, followed by Birthday, who made up a lot of ground after getting away badly. Sam Wood ultimately won handily by a length and a half, while Blackthorn beat Birthday as far for place honors.

Purse $1,000, of which $200 to the second and $50 to the third; entrance $15 each, to be divided between second and third; selling allowances; one mile and an eighth.

J. J. Hyland's blk. c. Sam Wood, 4, by Longfellow—Lucy Jackson, 121 (G. Covington)..... 1
A. A. Maguire's blk. h. Blackthorn, 6, 121 (Taral)..... 2
T. H. Berry's ch. g. Birthday, aged, 121 (Overton)..... 3
Little Addie, Little Jim, Rover, Focatello, Pontico, Brown Duke, Pontico, Houston, Red Leaf, Lucy Johnson, Sir Slave, and Gendarme also ran.
Time, 1:57¾.

Betting—Against Little Jim, 3 to 5; Blackthorn, 8 to 1; Rover, 7 to 1; Gendarme, 8 to 1; Birthday and Sam Wood, 10 to 1; Slave, 15 to 1; Focatello, Pontico, Red Leaf, and Lucy Johnson, each 20 to 1; Little Addie and Houston, each 30 to 1; Brown Duke, 40 to 1; Rover, 50 to 1. Mutuals paid $62.80, $19.70, $35.15.

THE FIFTH RACE.

Rizpah was away in front, and made the running until the middle of the backstretch had been reached, were Demuth went out and let the others chase him home. Stockton and Rizpah had a fight for the place, and the former got it, finishing at Demuth's tail. Rizpah was third, beaten a length. Al Farrow and Wilfred were not in it at any time.

For handicap sweepstakes of $20 each, with $1,250 added, of which $250 to the second and $100 to the third; one mile and three sixteenths.

R. S. Brown & co.'s c. Demuth, 3, by Ten Broeck—Belle of Santura, 98 (G. Covington)..... 1
J. Stuart's ch. h. Stockton, $1,020 (Littlefield)..... 2
Rancocas Stable's b. f. Rizpah, 4, 98 (A. Covington).... 3
Anaconda, Wilfred, and Al Farrow also ran.
Time, 2:02.

Betting—Against Demuth, 7 to 5; Stockton and Wilfred, each 3 to 1; Al Farrow, 5 to 1; Rizpah, 12 to 1; Anaconda, 50 to 1. Mutuals paid $14.65, $7.65, $6.50.

THE SIXTH RACE.

Benedictine, Lela May, and Donley were first away, Lafitte getting a shade the worst of the start. The first two ran yoked until well into the stretch, where the mare was beaten and Frank Ward joined Benedictine. This pair had a horse race to the finish, the latter winning by half a length. Lela May was third, beaten three lengths.

A sweepstakes for three-year-olds and upward, of $15 each, with $1,000 added, of which $200 to second and $100 to the third; seven furlongs on turf.

W. H. Simmons's ch. g. Benedictine, 4, by Hurrah—Nicka, 120 (G. Covington)..... 1
J. A. Santiago's b. h. Frank Ward, aged, 120 (Taral).... 2
G. F. Rashin & Co.'s ch. m. Lela May, 5, 117 (Gerhardy)..... 3
Little Crete, Donley, Kismet, Carnot, Young Duke, Lafitte, and Sir John also ran.
Time—1:29¾.

Betting—Against Young Duke, 8 to 5; Benedictine, 3 to 1; Frank Ward, 5 to 1; Carnot, 6 to 1; Little Crete, Sir John, and Lela May, each 10 to 1; Donley, 12 to 1; Kismet, and Lafitte, each 20 to 1.
Mutuals paid $14.90, $6.75, $16.

ENTRIES FOR SHEEPSHEAD BAY.

Thirty Horses Named to Start in the Opening Event.

To-day's programme for Sheepshead Bay is unusually brilliant, the Autumn and Racing Stakes and the Bridge Handicap being down on the card for decision. The extraordinary number of thirty starters are named in the opening event, over the Futurity course. The Autumn Stakes may be won by Esperanza, with Russell second. Kingston should win the Racing Stakes, and Los Angeles may run second. Tournament, Sinaloa II., and Masterlode may fight it out between them in the Bridge Handicap. The opening event will be a scramble, but the chances of Arab, Village Maid, and Ballyhoo look most rosy. Rupee's day win the fifth, with Diablo second, and the closing event may go to Little Jim, with Macbeth II. second.

First Race—Purse $1,000 for three-year olds and upward; Futurity course.

Rustic B.	116	Arab	124
Wrestler	109	Lady Agnes	102
San Cloche	108	Harry Russell	102
Rustic	108	B. B. Million	102
Tom Karl	108	Radiant	99
Ben Harrison	108	Whitenose	98
Firefly	108	Malasch	98
Coldstream	108	Iago	96
Long Dance	108	Roger	96
Ballyhoo	108	Shotover	96
Ilma B	105	Village Maid	97
Bilda	105	Reception	95
Puzzle	105	Re-echo	95
Daisy Woodruff	105	Urbana	95
Little Minnie	105	Onward	92

Second Race—The Autumn Stakes, a sweepstakes for two-year-olds of $50 each, with $1,500 added; Futurity course.

Surplus	125	Quarterstretch	104
Russell	125	My George	104
Rinfax	125	Hoseneme	102
Sallie McClelland	122	Ella T	101
Dr. Hasbrouck	118	Landscape	101
Castalia	115	Leonora	101
Stratagem	108	Vanity	101
Thorndale	108	Lesoranza	101
Beauty	105		

Third Race—The Bridge Handicap, for three-year-olds a handicap sweepstakes of $125 each, with $2,500 added; one mile and a half.

Tournament	130	Her Highness	113
Sinaloa II	128	Admiral	106
Banquet	116	Can Can	105
Prince Fonso	116	Masterlode	100
Tyrol	114		

Fourth Race—The Racing Stakes, a light-weight handicap sweepstakes for all ages, of $50 each, with $1,250 added; one mile.

Kingston	130	English Lady	98
Los Angeles	110	Fitzjames	95
Ballston	110	Sir Launcelot	83
Badge	109		

Fifth Race—A handicap sweepstakes of $35 each, with $1,250 added; one mile and a quarter.

Tristan	132	Diablo	115
Los Angeles	120	Rupertia	110
Senorita	118	Kenwood	105
Castaway II	116	English Lady	103
Montague	115		

Sixth Race—A high-weight handicap sweepstakes of $25 each, with $1,000 added; one mile and a quarter on turf.

Oriflamme	135	Raymond G	118
Macbeth II	124	Belwood	116
St. Luke	120	Little Jim	114
Niagara	119	Woodcraft	110

Ruled Off the Track at Gloucester.

GLOUCESTER, N. J., Sept. 8.—In the last race to-day the Matagorda filly was so palpably pulled that Judge Nelson ruled off H. A. Newton, in whose name the horse was entered, Fairgood, who rode her, and the filly herself. The betting on the race had been somewhat suspicious, and Fairgood was cautioned before the start. When called into the stand Newton stated that the filly was the property of W. B. Jennings. Outside of this unpleasant incident the races were fair, two of the finishes being almost neck and neck.

First Race—One mile. First, Folsom; second, Teddy Venture; third, Marie Lovell. Time, 1:44¾.

Second Race—Three-quarters of a mile. First, Lady Puisifer; second, Irene; third, Gardner. Time, 1:17¾.

Third Race—One mile and a quarter. First, Woodburn; second, Larchmont; third, Julia Miller. Time, 2:13.

Fourth Race—Three-quarters of a mile. First Gloster; second, Henry Hardy; third, Monte Cristo. Time, 1:18.

Fifth Race—Five eighths of a mile. First, Glada; second, Kolat filly; third, Matagorda filly. Time, 1:07.

Return of the German Shooters.

Among the passengers on the steamship Fulda, which arrived last night from Bremen, was a delegation of the New York Central Schentzen Corps, consisting of twenty, nine members and their Captain, George Bisburg, which took an active part in the Tenth German Bundes Schiessen in Berlin, bringing with them some of the highest prizes of honor and many of the smaller ones. A reception is to be tendered them by the remaining members in Washington Park, where they are now holding their annual Schentzenfest, on which occasion all the prizes will be exhibited. Capt. R. Risch and the officers of the Fulda will be present in a body at the festival on Wednesday afternoon to represent the Nord Deutscher Lloyd.

A Windfall for a Boy Rider.

A Bangor despatch to the *Boston Herald* on Thursday says: "There was quite an interesting occurrence this afternoon at the races at the Eastern Maine fair at Maplewood Park. A little 12-year-old boy named Tommy Murray of this city rode a horse in the running race, and was second in each heat. His riding was superb and fully up to an old jockey's. Nelson was so delighted that he rushed out and took the little fellow in his arms, gave him a $5 gold piece, and said he should have a place on his farm. He then proposed three cheers for the little fellow, and the great crowd of thousands of people about the grand and the judges' stands gave them with a will. Nelson took him down town in a barouche with him."

Court Tennis at Newport.

NEWPORT, Sept. 8.—With about all else over the young men of the cottage colony are indulging in court tennis at the casino. New converts are daily being added to the list of devotees of the sport, and those who have been playing for some time are becoming very proficient. The tournament of what is called adepts is now at a standstill, all waiting for Mr. Wharton to fill his entry, and this gentleman is expected to play this week. This tournament is for the Hitchcock cup, and there are now left in it Mr. Richmond Pearing, Mr. T. H. Hitchcock, Jr., Mr. R. S. Wharton, Mr. C. A. Baldwin, and Mr. J. S. Stevens. A second tournament, entitled the "Duffers' Tournament," has now been started. It is a handicap tournament, and the entries with their classification are as follows:

First class—Messrs. Woodbury, Kane, Roman, Baldwin, Edmund Warren, J. L. Breese, Charles Carroll, Richard Peters.

Second Class—W. H. Vanderbilt, H. Whitney, H. T. King, James Harriman, Moses Taylor.

The first class will give the second 15 and a bisque. The drawings are as follows: Mr. Kane vs. Mr. Whitney, Mr. Baldwin vs. Mr. Warren, Mr. Vanderbilt, Mr. Breese vs. Mr. Harriman, Mr. Carroll vs. Mr. Taylor, Mr. Peters a bye.

But one match has been played, that between Mr. Breese and Mr. Carroll, in which the latter was defeated, 6—4, 6—4. Mr. Harriman received 15 for a bisque.

Odds and Ends of Sports.

The members of the Eureka Gun Club will hold their regular monthly prize shoot at both live birds and blue rocks to-day at Marion.

The Wayne Athletics have decided to hold a 125-pound competition among the members. The same will take place in their model gymnasium on Saturday evening, Oct. 18.

Edgar Tate, President of the Titan Athletic Club, has just made arrangements for the use of a fine piece of ground on the line of the sixth avenue "L" road for training purposes.

If there is one thing more than another that the Irish-American Athletic Club prides itself on, it is the strength of its football team. On Sept. 28 the team will meet the Gaelic Association representatives at Woodside, L. I., and a hard struggle is expected to result.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN—Sir: If Paddy Gorman, the Australian, wrote is now in New York city wishes a match I will give him one. I can get an $500 purse for him to fight one man outside but of $200. If he accepts this, let me know through your paper. I am now training Tommy Warren for his fight with John Vanness.

HIRE PECKHAM, Oneida, N. Y., (now at Bradford).

A successful future is predicted for the newly organized Bank Clerks' Athletic Association. It is expected that after Friday night's meeting at the Grand Union Hotel the membership list will number between sixty and seventy. "By Nov. 1 we hope to have a complete gymnasium," said President Harry Dimse yesterday. A bowling team will also be organized for the coming season.

ELIZABETH, Sept. 8.—The Westfield Athletic Association has filed articles of incorporation with the Clerk of Union county. The association has a capital of $2,000 to begin with, and intends to erect a fine club house with enclosed grounds for base ball, football, cricket, and lawn tennis. Many of the leading residents of the town have enrolled their names as members of the new club. The incorporators are Albert A. Drake, George Peck, and Harris W. Greene.

The Lorillard Debating and Athletic Association look forward to becoming far more conspicuous in the athletic realm this season than any similar organization in Jersey City. They are starting out with a jump to attain this object, as is apparent by the following entries for the initial annual tournament of the Acorn Athletic Club, which takes place on Saturday afternoon: 2 and 4, Peter Farrell, 105 pounds; John Spence, 130 pounds; William Newell and Pat Corbliss, 135 pounds, and J. Harrigan, 115 pounds.

The Corinthian A. C. will give a members' tennis tournament the latter part of September for doubles and singles. Quite a number of entries have already been received. A handsome tennis racquet will be presented to the winners in the doubles, and also the winners in the singles. Dr. Barber and Charles Simonson are looked forward to as the winners in the doubles, although E. S. Chapin and Horace Wemple may make them play their best game. All four are good players. It is quite likely that one of this number will carry off the honors in the singles.

Barney Langtree, the well-known sporting man and benificiary of Cantrelle, N. J., called at the *Police Gazette* office yesterday, and stated that he had an unknown he would match to fight Johnny Shay of Bayonne, who claims to be the middle-weight champion of New Jersey, for $500 or $1,000 a side, the contest to take place six weeks from signing articles and within 100 miles of New York, with gloves. Langtree recently had $100 posted with the *Police Gazette* to match Joe Farrell against Johnny Shay. If the backers of Shay mean business they will find that Langtree will not put any drawbacks in the way of a match.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Nonpareil Football Club, held at Ridgewood on Sunday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Robert O'Donnell; Vice-President, William Purdy; Secretary, E. M. Henry; Treasurer, John McGrachie; Games Committee, George Seel. Chairman; Frank Fairbridge, A. McNeil, David Hutchinson, and Robert Kells. The Nonpareils have picked for the season a very strong team, and expect to get some very attractive work. The first game to be played in the New York State Football League will take place next Sunday with the Irish Athletic Football Club.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN—Sir: A party of twenty-five gentlemen are ready to put up a purse of $1,000 for either Cal McCarthy, George Dixon, Johnny Stuart, Johnny Murphy, or any of the 115-pound men in the above class of high rank to fight for it at the Exposition Hall, for twenty rounds with four-ounce gloves. The boys prefer Cal McCarthy or Johnny Stuart. The sports out here are crazy after fighting, and I think you could get a purse of $5,000 for such a contest. If you think it fair, I would like to hear from some of the above fighters at an early date. JOHN MEYGER.

BOSS STAND, EXPOSITION HALL, PITTSBURGH, PA., Aug. 7.

Owing to the heavy storm early Saturday afternoon the gentlemen's doubles in the Jersey City Lawn Tennis League's tournament did not take place. Only second honors in the gentlemen's singles and one round of double were played. The results are as follows: Gentlemen's Singles, Preliminary Round—Fielder, Jersey City Club, defeated Jackson, Quaway Club, 6—0, 6—0; McLaughlin, Jersey City Club, won from Curran, Kelly Club, default. Final Round—Fielder, Jersey City Club, defeated McLaughlin, Jersey City Club, 6—2, 6—2, 6—0. Gentlemen's Doubles, Preliminary Round—Coffey and Scott, Crescent Club, defeated Evarts and McLaughlin, Jersey City Club, default. The balance of the gentlemen's doubles will start up again next Saturday.

The Amity Athletic Association, the new organization recently started in Greenpoint, have some very promising athletes among their ranks, as the following will show: The sprinters are Neill, Tinker, Cross, Jennings, Rodgers, Griffiths, and Gerry; the hurdlers, Wettstein, Neill, Tinker, and Cross; the distance runners, H. Griffiths, Fisher and O'Landi; the walkers, Meyer, Cross, Neill, and Patterson; the high jumpers, Cross, Neill, Fisher, H. Griffiths, and Patterson; the broad jumpers, Wettstein, O'Landi, Barker, Fisher, Neill, and Cross; the hammer throwers and shot putters, Simmons, E. Griffiths, H. Griffiths, Cross, Gray, and Neill; the boxers, Simmons, H. Griffiths, McCarthy, and Gerry; the wrestlers, Cross, Neill, Soden, and Meyer. The tug-of-war team is composed of the following men: Cross, weight, 158; O'Landi, 150; Meyer, 160, and Neill, anchor, 175; total, 643. It will be seen that while the association have just made a start, they have some good men, especially Neill and Cross, two excellent all-around men, who, with proper training, may be heard from yet.

GREAT SPORT AT ELMIRA.

The Famous High Jumper, Roseberry, Lowers the World's Record.

ELMIRA, Sept. 8.—This was the first day of the Maple Avenue Driving Park Association fall meeting, held in connection with the Inter-State Fair, and a crowd of 25,000 people, the largest ever upon the grounds, witnessed the sport. The card contained three races, including the $3,000 guaranteed stake race for 2:40 trotters.

It was a great disappointment that Leopard Rose and Chelsey D., who were entered in this race, were unable to be here because of the postponement of the stake race at Springfield. Although the favorites won in straight heats in each event, yet there was some good sport, the contest between Bert Sheldon and Ripple in each heat of the 2:30 race being especially interesting.

During the afternoon the world's record for high jumping was broken by Roseberry and by Moorehouse and Pepper of Toronto, who cleared the bars at 7 feet ⅛ of an inch. The best previous record, made by Roseberry at Chicago, was 6 feet 11¾ inches.

The summaries of the record are as follows:

Two-year-olds; stake $500.

Consolation	1	1	
Prinspalian	2	2	
Athlete	4	3	
Leon H	3	dis	

Time—2:28, 2:26¼.

2:30 class; guaranteed stake $3,000.

Ripple	1	1	1
Bert Sheldon	2	2	2
Woodlark	4	3	3
Bucephalus	3	4	4
Kibert	dis.		

Time—2:28, 2:27, 2:28¾.

2:20 class; guaranteed stake $1,000.

Robinson D	1	1	1
Lizzie S	2	2	2
Hattie Wilkes	4	3	3
Lady Medium	3	4	dis
Ellice Good	dis		
Anna R	dis		
Blanche F	dis		

Time—2:20¾, 2:20, 2:20¾.

END OF THE HAMPDEN PARK MEETING.

Pamlico Wins the Springfield Stakes in Clever Fashion.

SPRINGFIELD, Sept. 8.—After two postponements on account of bad weather, the grand circuit meeting at Hampden Park was finally brought to a close this afternoon in the presence of about 2,000 spectators. The weather was pleasant and the track perfect.

There were but two races left over, the 2:24 class trotting, one heat of which was won by Mamie Woods on Saturday, and the Springfield Stake of $5,000 for trotters of the 2:28 class. It took but two heats to decide the former, Woodstaking both easily, and by distancing W. H. Arnold in the last heat, won first and fourth money.

Pamlico was a favorite in the stake race at odds of $50 to $15 for the field of five, in the first heat Chelsey D. was never headed, and won easily. In the second he was pushed hard by Abbie V. at the finish and was forced to equal his best record in order to win. Pamlico went to the front in the third and Jamlico went to the front in the third and finish, cut-trotting the others from the three-quarters, and distancing Leopard Rose in the third. In the fifth, the field were not in it at any time, Pamlico winning the heat and race as he pleased:

Summaries:

2:28 class, purse $1,500, divided (unfinished from Saturday).

Mamie Woods, r. m	1	1	1
Autograph, b. s	2	2	2
Major Ulrich, br. g	3	3	3
W. H. Nichols, br. m	4	4	4
Time—2:26¼, 2:24¾, 2:21¾.			

Springfield Stake, 2:28 class, trotting; purse $5,000.

Pamlico b. s	1	1	1	1
Chelsey D., ch. g	1	1	4	6
Abbie V. g. m	5	2	2	2
Nightingale, ch. m	4	3	5	3
Jamlico, ch. h	6	4	3	4
Leopard Rose, spt. m	2	6	dis.	
Time—2:19, 2:18¾, 2:18¾, 2:20¾, 2:19¾.				

Trotters that Perform To-day at Fleetwood.

For once the weather looks auspicious for the Grand Circuit meeting at Fleetwood Park, and the horses will be called at 1:30 this afternoon. The 2:24 class goes over till Wednesday and the 2:20 class takes its place.

Entries for the two events to-day are as follows:

2:37 class; trotting; purse $1,000—J. D. Cody, Valley Falls, N. Y., bl. g. J. T. F. M. Dodge, Pittsfield, Mass., ch. g. Fillmore; John R. Turner, Ambler Park, Pa., br. m. Kate Vernon; Jesse Vernon, New York, ch. m. Nelson; Jesse Terrance, New York, b. m. Maggie Mitchell; R. H. Howard, New York, ch. g. R. C.; L. H. Burd, New York, ch. g. Deacon; R. R. Thomas, New York, b. m. Heller Barefoot; Charles Kline, Philadelphia, br. m. Ella S.; J. H. Goldsmith, Washingtonville, N. Y., blk. h. Robert M. Taylor; J. H. Goldsmith, Washingtonville, N. Y., ch. m. Orphan Lass; D. W. Sherman, Glens Falls, N. Y., br. g. Strambito; Highland Stock Farm, Derby, Vt., b. h. Fred Wilkes; Joseph Painton, Lansingburgh, N. Y., b. h. Joe Wilkes; C. B. Barkley, Boston, Mass., b. g. Sprague; George Floyd & Sons, New York, b. m. Rose Leaf.

2:20 class; trotting; purse $1,500—Rundle A White, Ridgewood Stock Farm, Danbury, Conn., ch. h. Andante; John K. Turner, Ambler Park, Pa., r. m. Wanda; J. F. Bell, Gerald, Albany, N. Y., ch. g. Golden Rod; S. B. Debart, Philadelphia, blk. m. Maggie B.; J. Burkhart, New York, b. g. Orange Bud; D. Barker, Richlawn Farm, New York, ch. g. Colonel Galbraith, Washingtonville, N. Y., b. m. Camille; E. C. Walker, New York, b. m. Miss Alice; Owen Cusick, Scranton, Pa., blk. g. Stevie.

Yesterday found the drivers busy getting their charges ready, but none of them did more than give their horses good stiff work. The black gelding Stevie had two miles a trifle slower than 2:30, and Hal Pointer went easily in 2:22r Ed Geers handling both. Young Frank Turner took his father's place and sent Rosalind Wilkes Wanita, and Gossip, Jr., round the course in turn, while the veteran reinsman left for Springfield for the two unfinished classes at Hampden Park. Wanita, the roan mare purchased by Sire Bros. in Wyoming last spring for $10,000, and she will probably start in the 2:20 class to-day. She is an evenly trained, shapely trotter, about 15.2 hands, and has a record of 2:20½ at four years old. She is by Wanta, out of Ella Mountain. She is strongly bred, her sire Aberdeen representing the valuable Hambletonian-Star cross, while from her dam Wanita gets two strains of Pilot, Jr., the sire made specially famous by his daughter Miss Russell, who produced Maud S. Sire John Turner brought Wanita from the Western horse sale he has gone slowly with her, and this is her first appearance at a meeting this year.

Nelson Will Remain in Maine.

BANGOR, Sept. 8.—A gentleman representing a French syndicate, who saw Nelson's great performance on Saturday in beating 2:15¾ on a half-mile track, offered C. H. Nelson $58,000 for the stallion. The purpose was to take Nelson to Paris. The offer was refused by Mr. Nelson, who says the horse will remain in Maine.

News From The Horse World.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Sept. 8.—The pacing stallion Roy Wilkes, with a record of 2:08¾ on the Independence, Iowa, track, will go there this week to beat his best record. His owner predicts 2:06¾ if all conditions are favorable.

Animals Patched Up.

PORTLAND, Conn., Sept. 4.—Not many people who see John Cook of Cobalt drive into this town think that handsome $500 horse has but one ear. Such, however, is the fact, and although two ears appear there, one is artificial, the other natural. Some three years ago some rascal cropped off one ear while the horse was in the barn over night. An ear was borrowed from a dead horse, and this being sewed on the bridle makes the horse appear quite presentable when hitched up.

A doctor in Colchester has a horse which is minus any hair on his caudal extremity, and a handsome switch tail is worn by the animal when his owner drives him.

Nelson Shepherd's dog in Portland had his leg cut off in a mowing machine. Mr. Shepherd's son took the dog and the leg home, strapped the canine to a plough, and put the leg on with copper wire for thread. The dog was kept as quiet as possible for six weeks, and, although he got very thin, the leg grew on, and the animal now goes on all four legs as usual.

Mr. Wurster's Fine Catch of Bass.

LIBERTY, N. Y., Sept. 8.—The best catch of fish in the waters of Sullivan county this season, was made last Tuesday by F. W. Wurster of Brooklyn, who is a summer visitor here. Mr. Wurster took from Sackett Lake thirty black bass, all fair specimens and three of them of uncommon size. The three weighed respectively four pounds and twelve ounces, five pounds, and six pounds and one ounce. The six pounder was the biggest black bass ever taken from Sackett Lake. The three largest fish were put on exhibition at a newspaper office here, and attracted much attention. Mr. Wurster reports that he took them before sunrise, and used live frogs for bait.

Three Men Killed by Lightning.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 8.—Lightning killed three men and wounded one on Lake Fields, in Lafourche parish, on Saturday. Henry Verdain of Lafourche and the three Biot brothers of Pointe au Chiene, in St. Mary's parish, went out in a skiff to kill alligators in Lake Fields, just back of Lockport. They had killed several when a sudden and single flash of lightning struck the boat. Mr. Raymond Knight, who was also hunting alligators in a skiff some distance off, saw the accident. He hurried to the relief of the men and found the three dead in the bottom of the boat, and one of them, one of the Biots, was badly hurt. The latter may recover.

Drowned While Crabbing.

William Garner, 7 years old, a son of Christopher Garner at West Brighton, Staten Island, was drowned yesterday while crabbing in the Kills. The body was recovered last night.

THE CHESS FIGHT IS OVER.

DR. TARRASCH, A GERMAN, WINS IN THE GREAT TOURNAMENT.

He was Also the Winner of the Breslau Tournament Last Year—His Record is Twelve Won, Lost None, and Drawn Seven—Some Well Played Games.

MANCHESTER, Sept. 8.—The final round of the International chess tournament was played today with the following results:

After a short battle of thirty-three moves Mason and Blackburne abandoned their game as drawn. The latter played "French," and although he had a slight advantage he could not score.

Schallopp defeated Alapin in thirty moves. The Berliner played the Ruy Lopez, got a good position in the opening, and finally scored.

Mackenzie was against Owen to-day. The opening was irregular and went in favor of the Captain from the very start. Owen had to resign after 36 moves.

Locock had to resign to Gunston after 28 moves. The latter played the Scotch gambit.

Thorold opened P—K B 4 against Gunsberg, who obtained a considerable advantage in the middle game, and finally won after 39 moves.

Miller got a bad game against Bird, who had played the Guy Lopez. The veteran played very finely, and Miller had to resign after 36 moves had been recorded.

A very fine game was played between Gossip and Scheve, the latter playing the French defence. True, Scheve had slightly the best of the argument, but could not score, and after fifty-nine moves the game was drawn.

After about twenty-one moves Van Vliet had to give up to Taubenhaus, who played the king's gambit. Van Vliet got beaten in the opening.

The game Tarrasch vs. Tinsley ended also in a draw after twenty-eight moves. The game was evenly contested throughout.

Mortimer beat Lee in thirty-five moves. The game developed into a four knights contest, in which Mortimer got the best of the middle game, which finally secured him the verdict.

The unfinished games of the previous rounds resulted as follows:

Tarrasch vs. Blackburne—Tarrasch won.
Mason vs. Lee—Mason won.
Owen vs. Schallopp—Drawn.

After to-night's play Tarrasch takes first prize with a total of 12 games won, 7 drawn, and none lost. Blackburne's score is 11 won, 2 drawn, 5 lost. Mackenzie's score is 10 won, 4 drawn, 5 lost. Bird's score is 9 won, 6 drawn, and 4 lost, while Gunsberg and Mason have a total of 9 games won, 5 drawn, and 5 lost each.

Dr. Tarrasch is a medical man, his residence being Nuremberg, Bavaria. He won the first prize in the International Masters' Tournament in Breslau last year. The Marquiita only gained 8 seconds on the Minerva in this work, and the Liris gained 1 minute 14 seconds on the Jessica.

Here is the summary:

SPECIAL RACE—LARCHMONT YACHT CLUB.

40-FOOT CLASS—COURSE 24 MILES—PRIZES CARD.

Yachts.	Rating Length.	Owners.	Elapsed Time.	Corrected Time.
			H. M. S.	H. M. S.
Minerva	47.00	J. Lee Carroll	4 38 27	4 38 02
Marquita	48.09	Aug. Belmont, Jr.	4 57 51	4 55 37
Liris	48.83	C. W. Wetmore	5 06 46	5 05 28
Jessica	49.69	W. McDonough	5 10 43	5 10 43

So the Minerva wins, beating the Marquita 22 minutes 55 seconds, with the Liris third, and Jessica fourth.

CLOSE CALL FOR THE GOSSOON.

She Beats the Ventura by Only Forty-nine Seconds, Corrected Time.

MARBLEHEAD, Sept. 8.—The Gossoon had to hustle to beat the Ventura to-day, and when the latter's allowance had been deducted from the Gosson's lead the latter had only forty-nine seconds to spare. It made the cold sweat stand out on Capt. Charley Adams's brow when he saw the Ventura so close, and knew that it was a matter of seconds instead of minutes, with a strong possibility of defeat instead of victory for his fast little yacht, and after the boats had been timed Capt. Foster of the Ventura asked for a remeasurement, evidently hoping that those forty-nine seconds would be wiped out thereby. But the Ventura has been refitted with sails since her last measurement, and it is believed that she will gain nothing by the remeasurement.

As will be seen by the closeness of the finish to-day's race was a grand one. The Ventura even had the lead over more than one-third of the course. The starting whistle was sounded at 10:55, and the rival yachts began a beat to windward over the first leg of a triangular course, the course being 24 miles, which seemed to favor the Ventura. The wind was south-southwest, and although light at the start it freshened gradually, until at the finish it was making the boats fly down the course. The Gossoon crossed the line at 10:55:44, with the Ventura three seconds later. The Ventura had the windward berth, but the Gossoon didn't seem to care for that. Her lead of three seconds gave her all the wind she wanted, and she proceeded to walk away from her rival. Then everybody thought the Gossoon was going to have everything her own way, just as in Saturday's race. Both started on the starboard tack, heading toward Half-way Rock. The Gossoon was the first to change her course, doing so at 11:06, the Ventura holding on until 11:06:35. The Gossoon gained fully three minutes in the windward minutes of sailing. The next tack allowed the boats in