M'CHESNEY BADLY BEATEN.

BIG MAC HAS NO SPEED AND FINISHES OUT OF THE MONEY.

Gemmel Wins the Race for John A. Drake, and in Well Backed—Kentucky Stakes for Candidia, a Sir Dixon Filly—Yeager's Mimosa Succeeds Again.

Saratoga, Aug. 15.—After a long rest McChesney started in the last race, at a mile, this afternoon and was badly beaten. He was pronounced fit by his trainer before going to the post, but his performance showed that he was far from being the invincible racehorse of a year ago. In the betting he opened at 3 to 5, but receded to 4 to 5, while there was a steady play on John A. Drake's Jocund, whose price dropped a point to fours. McChesney broke in front, but he had no speed and quickly gave way to Jocund, Simple and Witchcraft. This order was maintained to the stretch, where Witchcraft had enough and Jocund easily changed places with her. Once straightened out for the wire, Jocund, who was much the best, drew away and won easily by two lengths, in 1:39 2-5. Simple, who was quoted at 20 to 1, rallied gamely, and was second, a head before Aurelianer, with McChesney fourth.

The Kentucky Stakes, for two-year-old fillies, five and a half furlongs, was won in spread eagle style by Candida, a daughter of Sir Dixon and Black Heart, who ran in the name of Joe Scherrer, the former jockey. She won a race earlier in the year at one of the New York tracks in the interests of R. M. Ziegler and his trainer, Charley Hughes, prepared her for to-day's performance. The layers quoted 5 to 1 against her, and big money was taken from the ring on her success.

From the extreme outside position Travers got her away running from the post, and she was never headed, coming home a winner in a gallop by four lengths in 1:07. Sydney Paget's Claringline, the favorite, who went back to 3 to 1 for second, bearing Fleur de Marie, a 20 to 1 shot, by a head. Gold Tan and Peggy, both backed liberally, were practically beaten at the start, while Delphic and Mirthless were left at the post.

Joe Yeager's consistent filly Mimosa, a 13 to 10 favorite, captured the first race for maiden at seven furlongs. E. R. Durnell's Armenia was backed down to 3 to 1 to beat her, but Mimosa shook her off in the stretch and won by a length and a half in :25 2-5. Wild Thyme, 7 to 1, came home behind in the last quarter and finished second, four lengths before Armenia.

The steeplechase, for hunters, was nothing more than a gallop for T. Hitchcock, jr.'s Sea Gull, formerly known as Terrible Terry, the horse that killed Jockey Green at Brighton. He was the choice at 13 to 10 and won by half a dozen lengths from Boudin, backed down to 3 to 1. Libretto, 30 to 1, took third money from Daffo Down Dilly, 2 to 1, by five lengths, the latter finishing poorly.

Elliott, 4 to 1, took the handicap at a mile and a furlong. He carried only 98 pounds and took command soon after the start. He won in a drive by three parts of a length from Dalesman, 13 to 5 favorite, who was a length and a half before Carbuncle, 12 to 1. Audience was half a length back.

After being left at the post in the Kentucky Stakes, Mirthless rolled again in the fifth race for maiden two-year-olds. This time she was placed down from 3 to 1 to 3 to 2, and Shaw brought her home a handy winner by two lengths and a half. Farmer Bill Daly's Raiment, 15 to 1, beat E. R. Durnell's Bulvardi, 7 to 5 in the betting, by a length for the place. The latter did not run his best race. Four favorites were beaten. The track was fast.

FIRST RACE.

Selling, for maiden three-year-olds and upward; $600 added; allowances; seven furlongs.

Horse and Age	W.	Jockey	Betting	Pla.
Mimosa, 4	97	Yeager	13-10	1-2
Wild Thyme, 4	105	J. Martin	7-1	3-5
Armenia, 3	96	Travers	3-1	4-5
Juliana, 3	99	Spelling	15-1	6-1
Jane Holly, 3	106	Gaudet	8-1	7-1
Roughline, 4	98	Holmes	30-1	8-1
Virgin Soil, 4	105	R. Cochran	20-1	9-1
Peonia, 3	97	Wimberly	20-1	10-1
Girdle, 4	107	W. Fischer	20-1	11-1

Time, :25 2-5.

Poor start; won handily. Mimosa, br. f., 3, by Hamburg—Castalia; owned by J. C. Yeager; trained by R. E. Campbell.

SECOND RACE.

Handicap Steeplechase, for hunters; four year old and upward; $700 added; about two miles.

Horse and Age	W.	Jockey	Betting	Pla.
Sea Gull, 5	150	Ray	13-10	1-2
Boudin, 4	140	J. Wilson	3-1	4-5
Libretto, 4	138	Bernhardt	30-1	4-1
Daffo Down Dilly, 4	140	Donohue	2-1	5-1
Gorbagalion, 4	140	J. Martin	10-1	6-1

Time, 4:08 2-5.

Good start; won easily. Sea Gull, b. g., 5, by Long Flight—Easter Eggs; owned by T. Hitchcock, jr.; trained by C. Ideman.

THIRD RACE.

Kentucky Stakes, for two-year-old fillies; $1,000 added; selling; allowances; five and a half furlongs.

Horse and Age	W.	Jockey	Betting	Pla.
Candida, 2	99	Travers	5-1	1-2
Claringline, 2	99	Bellstrand	3-1	2-1
Fleur de Marie, 2	94	J. Jones	20-1	3-1
Gold Tan, 2	99	R. Cochran	5-1	4-1
Peggy, 2	97	Connally	10-1	5-1
Miss Morgan, 2	99	Creighton	60-1	6-1
Highborn, 2	99	W. Fischer	30-1	7-1
Martha Gorman, 2	99	Gilmartin	15-1	8-1
Intentation, 2	102	J. Martin	10-1	9-1
Delphic, 2	99	F. Bonsgrover	30-1	10-1
Mirthless, 2	99	Gilghant	10-1	11-1

Time, :58.

Poor start; won easily. Candida, b. f., by Sir Dixon—Black Heart; owned by J. Scherrer; trained by C. R. Hughes.

FOURTH RACE.

Handicap, for three-year-olds and upward; $700 added; one mile and an eighth.

Horse and Age	W.	Jockey	Betting	Pla.
Elliott, 4	98	W. Daly	4-1	1-2
Dalesman, 4	108	Hildebrand	13-5	4-1
Carbuncle, 4	108	R. Phillips	12-1	3-1
Audience, 4	98	Bolton	4-1	4-1
Ada Gay, 4	97	W. Fischer	20-1	5-1
Knight Errant, 4	104	J. Martin	3-1	even 4

Time, 1:53.

Good start; won driving. Elliott, ch. g., 6, by Racine—Aurelia; owned by Mrs. R. A. Daly; trained by M. F. Daly.

FIFTH RACE.

For maiden two-year-olds; $600 added; six furlongs.

Horse and Age	W.	Jockey	Betting	Pla.
Mirthless, 2	106	Shaw	3-2	1-2
Raiment, 2	109	Burns	15-1	2-1
Bulvardi, 2	109	Hildebrand	4-5	3-1
Vocalaire, Jr., 2	112	W. Fischer	30-1	4-1
Sandalwood, 2	112	Hicks	12-1	5-1
Lobo, 2	112	Connally	20-1	6-1
Temptation, 2	112	Gilghant	12-1	7-1
Sandover, 2	112	J. Martin	30-1	8-1
Lindsay Gordon, 2	112	O'Neill	10-1	9-1
Ajax, 2	109	Hedgepeth	20-1	10-1
St. Johvra, 2	102	Wimberly	40-1	12-1

Time, 1:14.

Fair start; won handily. Mirthless, b. f., 2, by Mirthful—Bethlehemite; owned by F. R. Hitchcock; trained by J. E. Madden.

SIXTH RACE.

For three-year-olds and upward; $600 added; one mile.

Horse and Age	W.	Jockey	Betting	Pla.
Jocund, 4	99	O'Neill	4-5	1-2
Simple, 4	104	Travers	20-1	3-1
Aurelianer, 3	90	Cornelius	20-1	4-1
McChesney, 5	109	Fuller	4-5	5-1
Witchcraft, 3	104	Bellstrand	12-1	6-1
Flexion, 3	99	Miles	100-1	60-1
King of the Valley, 4	99	Bolman	100-1	70-1

Time, 1:39 2-5.

Poor start; won easily. Jocund, ch. c., 3, by Kingston—Castalia; owned by John A. Drake; trained by E. Wishard.

New York State Rifle Team Off for Fort Riley.

Col. N. S. Thurston, inspector of small arms practice of the New York National Guard, announced yesterday the selection of the rifle team to represent the State in the national competition at Fort Riley, Kan., on Aug. 22, 23, 24. The team, which leaves for Fort Riley this morning, is made up as follows:

Captain, Lieut.-Col. N. S. Thurston, Adjutant, Quartermaster and Commissary, Capt. R. S. Stedman, Twelfth Regiment; coach, Lieut. Thurber A. Brown, Third Battalion; spotter, First Lieut. Reginald H. Sayre, Brigadier A.

Team and Alternates, Corporal W. B. Short, Company D, Seventh Regiment; Corporal H. L. Sydam, Company G, Seventh Regiment; Ordnance Sergeant John Corrie, N. S. S., Ninth Regiment; First Sergt. F. M. Darlingkiller, Company K, Twelfth Regiment; First Sergt. George E. Bryant, Company F, Twenty-third Regiment; Ordnance Sergeant George W. Lent, N. G. S., Forty-seventh Regiment; Capt. George W. Corwin, I. S. A. P., Seventy-first Regiment; Capt. Robert Byers, Company E, Seventy-first Regiment; First Lieut. A. E. Walls, Company H, Seventy-first Regiment; First Lieut. K. K. V. Casey, assistant I. S. A. P., Seventy-first Regiment; Sergt. George H. Doyle, Company H, Seventy-first Regiment; Sergt. A. S. Corbett, Company E, Seventy-first Regiment; Private P. C. Moore, Company D, Seventy-first Regiment; Ordnance Sergeant W. P. Leadbeater, N. G. S., Seventy-fourth Regiment; Sergt. J. E. Tompkins, Company D, Seventy-fourth Regiment.

Gans and Gardner Matched.

Alec Greggains, who is matchmaker of the San Francisco A. C., has arranged a bout between Joe Gans and Jimmy Gardner. They are to meet for twenty rounds the third week in September. The weight is 136 pounds, weigh in at 3 o'clock.

TO-DAY'S CARD FOR SARATOGA.

Good Field Named for Merchants and Citizens' Handicap.

Saratoga, Aug. 15.—If all the starters named go to the post, the Merchants and Citizens' Handicap, at a mile and a furlong, to be run to-morrow, ought to be a smashing good race. Africander has top weight, 123 pounds, a pound more than the highest to be carried by Lord of the Vale. Molly Brant is asked to pack 117 pounds, and she will probably be played heavily to win. But Broomstick, with 115, is a dangerous proposition, as he is in splendid shape and will have a following. Dainty and Major Daingerfield have outside chances.

In the handicap for three-year-olds, at seven furlongs, Pulaski has top weight. Minerva, Rapid Water, Adriutha, Divination and Witchcraft all look formidable. Jockeys that have never ridden a winner will have the mounts in the second race, at a mile. Courtmaid, Sais, Homestead and Stevedore appearing to be the best. If H. B. Duryea's Artful goes in the third event, for maiden two-year-old fillies, at five and a half furlongs, she will be a hot favorite, as she apparently outclasses the others. She also is entered in the fifth race, at six furlongs, together with her stable mate, Iota. Of the others, Jack Rory and Waterside are not to be overlooked.

In the last race, at a mile and a furlong, on the turf, Conditing, Rohadil, Reynolds, Courtmaid and Lady Parentate may go well. The entries are as follows:

First Race—For three-year-olds; handicap; seven furlongs.

Dick Bernard	108	Minerva	115
Rapid Water	123	Adriutha	113
Andrew Mack	107	Orthodox	110
Divination	107	Monet	104
Dr. Sommerwood	106	Witchcraft	102
Marforam	98	Thistle Heather	99
Silverfoot	95	Tol San	95
Pulaski	126		

Second Race—For three-year-olds and upward; maiden jockeys; selling; one mile.

Irish Witch	102	Charter	99
Homestead	101	Courtmaid	101
Sais	106	Gold Spot	91
Bardolph	108	Southampton	91
Mountebank	106	The Globe	98
Seminary	101	Canadiarte	103
Stevedore	98	Hartbrope	96

Third Race—For maiden fillies, two years old; to carry 112 lbs. five and a half furlongs.

Gallop	112	Good Boy	112
Claradella	112	Linda Rosa	112
Princess Rupert	112	Artful	112
Indigle	112	Mirthless	112
Salt and Pepper	112		

Fourth Race—The Merchants and Citizens' Handicap; for three-year-olds and upward; one mile and an eighth.

Broomstick	115	Lord of the Vale	123
Gold Money	100	Dainty	108
Major Daingerfield	110	Africander	123
Molly Brant	117	High Chancellor	96
Jocund	100	Flying Ship	106
Reservation	106		

Fifth Race—For two-year-olds; six furlongs.

Blue Girl	102	Allumette	105
Vocalaire	112	Iota	107
Artful	102	Jack Rory	112
Martin Allen	109	Amberlack	110
Dandelion	99		

Sixth Race—For three-year-olds and upward; selling; one mile and an eighth on turf.

Gertrude	98	Senry	101
Barle Duc	98	Allan	98
Courtmaid	104	James F.	103
Gold Dome	99	Lady Parentate	99
Rohadil	99	Gilsen J.	95
Brooklynite	99	Easy Street	101
Cauliflower	99	Judge	98
Conditing	99		

At Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Talbott Brothers' Prince Silver Wings proved a surprise in the Speculation Stakes, the feature of the opening day of the Lake Shore autumn meeting, which opened here early and was the extreme outsider in the betting. Summary:

First Race—Five and a half furlongs; Albert Pike Stakes; $1,000 added; two year olds; 107 pounds; 5 to 1, second Captanian, 110 (Mountain), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:08 1-5. Maestro, Vardell II., Lady Allison, Before and Pulic Sandley also ran. Race fifty off at the post.

Second Race—Steeplechase; short course—Weird, 137 (Pemberton), 4 to 1, won; Allegiance, 130 (C. Johnson), 1 to 2, second; Sweet Jane, 138 (Seaton), 3 to 1, third. Time, 3:48. Charwindal and Alma Girl also ran. Tender the Mere ran out. Vibrate and Martin Brady fell.

Third Race—The Speculation Stakes; one mile—Prince Silver Wings, 95 (Lahuchion), 4 to 1, won; Still Hunt, 108 (Nicol), 3 to 1, second; Clifton Forge, 104 (Knapp), 15 to 10, third. Time, 1:40 3-5. Medee also ran.

Fourth Race—Six furlongs—Ida Savoie, 99 (Lahuchion), 6 to 5, won; Sylva Talbot, 102 (Nicol), 11 to 1, second; King Ellsworth, 105 (Mountain), 10 to 1, third. Time, :1[illegible]. Mayor Johnson, Sjambok, My Alice, Cotton Belgarde of India, Agnes Brennan and The Pup also ran.

Fifth Race—One mile and a sixteenth—Pure Royal, 107 (Nicol), 3 to 1, won; Incubator, 105 (Kerr), 4 to 1, second; Gypsy Queen, 98 (Morrison), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 1-5. Blenheim and Judge Rinaldo also ran.

Sixth Race—One mile—Sweingam, 88 (Cougan), 7 to 1, won; Golden Almond, 88 (Greenfield), 5 to 1, second; Ben Heywood, 98 (Knapp), 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:41 1-5. Talisman, Raymond, Sir Hugh, Pearl Diver and Harry New also ran.

Seventh Race—Five furlongs—Sam's Boy, 106 (Nicol), 3 to 1, won; John Smithell, 99 (Knapp), 30 to 1, second; Radiantly, 94 (Kerr), 15 to 10, third. Time, 1:01 1-5. Dr. Kenney also ran.

LONG BRANCH AUTO RACES.

Miss Harmel Breaks Bottle of Champagne on One Car—The Winners.

Long Branch, N. J., Aug. 15.—The week's automobile carnival opened under favorable weather conditions to-day. Five thousand persons saw the races on Ocean Boulevard. The course was devoted exclusively to the various events. It was a holiday for many of the outsiders and townsfolk.

Miss Virginia Harmel broke a bottle of champagne over the Bowman car, which started in a continuous run of 1,000 miles between West End and Spring Lake. The chauffeur will be accompanied by observers during the prolonged endurance trial, which will last, owing to the speed limit in the various boroughs, perhaps the entire week. The round trip, twenty-five miles, can be made within forty minutes, provided the driver meets no interruptions.

The first event, half a mile for regular stock machines, $650 and under, was won by D. L. Lewis's Oldsmobile in 1 minute and 23 seconds. John Hanson, of New York, was second. The second event, quarter mile dash for machines $450 to $1,000, was won by Richard Degray, of New Orleans, who drove a Franklin. The winner's time was 35 1-5 seconds for one heat and 38 seconds for the other. In the third event, Bennington's entry, a Rambler machine, was disqualified. There were three entries. The first and second heats went to Joseph Tracy, of New York, in 16 1-5 seconds and at 1-5 seconds respectively. The distance was half a mile.

The fourth event, four-fifths of a mile, best two in three heats, was the feature of the card. R. R. Thomas and H. S. Harkness, both of New York, were the only entries. Thomas's 40 horse-power machine, driven by Ed Hawley, made the first heat in 37 seconds and the second in 37 1-5 seconds. The fifth and final event, was a half mile race won by Mrs. C. Miller, of Long Branch, who drove a Waverly. The first heat was made in 3 minutes 19 seconds and the second in 1 minute 57 seconds. Mrs. A. L. McMurtry, of Baltimore, was a close second in both heats.

Lawn Tennis.

On the courts of the Ridgewood Golf Club the final round in the men's singles open tennis tournament was won by R. H. Palmer of the home club, who played an interesting four set match with C. C. Kelley, of the West Side T. C. The green Palmer has first leg on the silver challenge bowl donated by the club for the first time this year.

Men's Singles—Second round—R. H. Pendergast, Bergen Point L. C., defeated R. H. Bishop, 2-6, 6-4, 6-2, 4-6, 6-3.

Semi-final Round—R. H. Palmer, Ridgewood Golf Club, defeated S. A. Westall, Kings County T. C., 6-4, 6-2, 6-4. C. C. Kelley, West Side T. C., defeated R. H. Pendergast, Bergen Point L. C., 6-4, 4-6, 6-4.

Final Round—R. H. Palmer, Ridgewood G. C., defeated C. C. Kelley, West Side T. C., 6-4, 4-6, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3.

Whitney's Stallions Shipped to New Jersey.

Lexington, Ky., Aug. 15.—The eight famous thoroughbred stallions belonging to the estate of the late W. C. Whitney, which have been quartered at the La Belle Stud in this county for the last few years, left here this morning for the Brookdale Stud in New Jersey, which will be the future breeding establishment of Harry Payne Whitney. The stallions represent an outlay of $224,000, and are: Hamburg, imp. Meddler, Ballyhoo Bey, Yankee, imp. Sandringham, Warbonnet and Blackstock. The remainder of the horses belonging to the estate now at La Belle are the thirty broodmares, with foals at their sides, and they will be sent to Brookdale in the early fall.

Death of Tom Ray, the English Pole Vaulter.

T. Ray of Cleveston, Lancashire, England, the pole vaulter, died on Aug. 5 at his home, after a short illness. As early as 1881 he made a record of 11 feet 3 inches and was then in close by himself and won the English championships of 1882, '83, '84, '85, '86, '87 and '88. In 1884 he learned how to climb the pole and in 1888 moved the record up to 11 feet 8½ inches. He came to America in 1887 and won the championship with a vault of 11 feet ¾ inch. He had a record of 5 feet 10 inches for the high jump and handled himself with rare agility for a man weighing 200 pounds. Ray was 46 years old.

Auto Goes 26 Miles in 28 Minutes 32 1-5 Seconds.

Buffalo, Aug. 15.—Charles Schmidt, driving the Grey Wolf at the auto races at Kenilworth this afternoon, did twenty-five miles on the track in 28 minutes 32 1-5 seconds. Barney Allfeld did the same distance in 26 minutes 42 seconds. Both are new world's records, for better for heavy machines and the former for lighter. The former record was 31 minutes 44 1-5 seconds, made by Henri Fournier three years ago.

GOSSIP OF THE RACETRACK.

BELIEF THAT M'CHESNEY WAS SEEN HIS BEST DAYS.

Incident Out of the Ordinary Furnished by Mirthless—Races on a Piebald Pony Beats Scherrer on English Pony—Redfern May Have to Miss the Futurity.

Saratoga, Aug. 15.—The defeat of McChesney in the closing event to-day meant more than the loss of a race for him. It was a case of another turf idol shattered. When he passed the stand for his warming up gallop McChesney was greeted with a round of applause that came from all who love a good horse. When he appeared with Fuller on his back, wearing the colors and en route to the post, the applause grew to proportions that were pretty close to an ovation.

His running in the race was carefully watched by his backers and those that had no financial interests in the result, and when he failed to even get inside the money it brought from all quarters the opinion that he, like Waterboy and others, had seen his best days and must now be classed as a has been. He had some hard luck in the race that is, he was slightly pocketed in the run out of the backstretch and making the bend for home, but this was not enough to affect his chances in any way. He was simply nothing like himself, and this came after work that would make one believe he was fit to run the best race of his career. He pulled up sound and without any sign of distress, and this further strengthens the opinion that he is a back number.

His old trainer, Sam Hildreth, watched him very carefully all through the race and followed him with his eye as he left the track for the paddock to be cooled out. When asked if he could explain the disappointing showing, Hildreth said:

"I am afraid that the hard races that he has had for years with heavy weights and at long distances have taken away his greatness and that any races he wins in the future will be in moderate company. He comes of a family that stale early in their careers, and it looks as if he, too, has gone back to a point where his greatness will not be in evidence. There is just one chance that he will better, and that is that he may not have liked the track. His best races were run where the footing was hard, and it may be that the sand here did not suit him. He had not run a furlong before I could see that he was beaten, provided any of those in front of him could show a respectable mile. His work, I understand, has been as good as any that he would show when he was at his best and forces me to think he is simply worn out."

The winner of the race which introduced McChesney after a long retirement was Sam A. Drake's Jocund, who, after making all the running, won easily. Some were inclined to make comparisons with the showing of this colt last Saturday, when he was among the scatters the entire distance, but it is not a good case, for on Saturday he was interfered with several times and really never had a chance to get fully extended. This much can be said, however, that O'Neill, who rode him in both races, is now classed as a champion in and out rider. In one race he is all alert and makes a showing up to his best standard, then comes a display of indifference that brings what seems like well based protests from the bettors. If it is simply that he cannot be consistent, a cast might do him good, for to let him go on as he has been is going to leave some ugly scars to be healed.

John E. Madden, who trains Mirthless for F. R. Hitchcock, to-day furnished an incident a little out of the ordinary. He sent the filly to the post for the Kentucky selling stakes, which was the third event of the day's programme, and started her back in the fifth event, which she won. This would look like heavy treatment for a two-year-old, but in her first effort she really did not run any. At the start one end of the barrier refused to work and this filly was one of the sufferers in that she was behind the webbing, and there was no opportunity for her rider to go on with anything like a fair chance, and he did the sensible thing in pulling her up.

Mirthless scattered to the finish and then it was decided to let her make a bid for the later engagement. For this try her price was 4 to 1, and she made all the running and won easily. This was some consolation for her admirers, but as they had obtained as good as 10 to 1 in the States they managed to make a grumble about the machine that cannot be called on to go up when a field is started. There is really some ground for these protests against the machine, for it is not the first time this season, by any means, that chances of part of a field have been ruined by the failure of the machine to work.

Candida, the winner of the Kentucky Stakes, ran in the colors of Joe Scherrer, the old-time rider. Last week Scherrer won several good bets, and before he had a chance to lose the money he purchased this filly and another two-year-old from Charlie Hughes, acting as agent for R. M. Ziegler. The price was not stated, but it is said to have been a stiff one, for to-day she was entered to be sold for $2,500. Scherrer sold all his friends that she would win, and among those that took the tip was Josh W. Gates, and his commission brought a cut in the odds.

For a week back there has been a lot of discussion as to the merits of a piebald pony that Charley Gates, a son of John W. Gates, rides to and from the track mornings and an English pony that carries Walter Scheffel, who raced Highball and other good horses in the East. This morning the discussion took the form of a match at three furlongs, owners to ride, for $500 a side. Scheffel had all the better of it in the matter of weight, as Gates is built on the lines of his father.

After the start, when the imported pony went to the front, it looked as if there was no chance for the one behind him, but the latter proved the better stayer and at the end he was the winner by a comfortable margin. Both men are clever riders, and it was clearly a case of better horse.

The proposed trip of Redfern to New York to have his arm examined was averted by the arrival here of a well known surgeon who is rated as a specialist in such cases. The first examination here was by the track physician, who said the only result of the jockey's fall was severe bruises. As there was no improvement after a couple of days another physician was called in, and his opinion was that the jockey was suffering from a broken collarbone. Last night's examination proved the latter to be the case, and the broken bone was set.

The delay in proper treatment is likely to keep Redfern on the inactive list for some time. Indeed, it is now feared he will not be able to pilot Sysonby in the Futurity. This will upset the plans of Mr. Keene considerably, for he had planned to have his colt ridden by Redfern, who knows him better than any other boy. He, of course, has a call on Odom for the race, but wanted the latter to ride one of the other colts that he will start. Redfern is hopeful and insists that he will be in condition to ride.

Foxhall Keene left here for New York to-day to prepare for his trip to his shooting box at Synonby, near Melton, England. It is from this place that the great colt his father races gets his name. The temptation to remain over and see the Futurity came pretty near bringing a postponement in the younger Keene's departure, but he finally decided to keep to original plans.

The starter put the blame for the balk of the barrier in the third race on Billie J. Hennessy and suspended him for five days. He says the boy, who was on Dell, jr., got so close to the barrier that it could not work. This is a version that may be correct, but few will accept it. If the boy was so close that the machine would not work he could have been ordered back before the word to come on was given. To fine Hennessy only adds to the discontent aroused by the affair.

Each time Ray rides and wins a jumping race it is made more and more evident that he far outclasses his mates. To-day on Sea Gull he saved ground at a rate that really made the others look like a lot of green boys trying a trip through the field for the first time. What is more, he is a thorough horseman and falls less than other riders. Some declare that it is due to the fact that he gets the pick of the mounts, but this is not so. It is simply that he makes the horse he rides the best horse.

GRAND CIRCUIT AT BRIGHTON.

Consuela S. Wins 2:10 Trot of $5,000—Brisk Betting on the Races.

If the management of the Brighton Grand Circuit meeting planned to place one of the most attractive programmes of the week on the opening day, the plan succeeded. Not only was the racing yesterday keen and close, but the speculation reminded one of the betting ring when the thoroughbreds are out for a big stake, and it took nearly a score of books to accommodate the bettors. The weather was perfect and the day a success from every point of view.

The main interest centred in the $5,000 stake for 2:10 trotters. Dr. Strong, by reason of his splendid victory last week, was made the favorite, but Consuela S. was a strong second choice and John Taylor was liberally supported. George G., the much routed California trotter, with Geers up, had a good support, and the others were practically neglected. The books made Consuela S. a favorite for the first heat, as Dr. Strong is rarely sent to win the opening mile. George G. and John Taylor kept Consuela S. busy, but Dr. Strong finished in the rear.

Dr. Strong jogged lame when he came out for the second heat and he did not seem as fresh as at the Empire meet. Still, the speculators stuck to him and made him the favorite at odds over the field. The books held him at 4 to 5 and Consuela S. at 2 to 1. These two had the fight throughout the mile, both finishing under the whip, with Dr. Strong in front. George G. made a break at the first turn and was distanced.

Only the four money winners could start in the third heat under the rule, and the favorite and Consuela S. had a clear field and a hard fight from the wire to the wire. At the second turn, while trotting head and head, Dr. Strong made a handy break, but it cost him two lengths and took a lot of speed to close up the gap in the homestretch. There the best horse in a driving finish. The Roman was declared distanced, which gave the winner first and fourth money.

The opening event was won by Alexander Campbell, a well played short choice. Ruth C. was the favorite in pools, with Peerlessness, Lentora and Alexander Campbell about equally supported at $10 each. The books were evidently shy of Campbell, for they only had 5 to 2 against him. He won in the homestretch, carrying Ruth C. to a break after she had made the pace nearly to the wire. Lentora made a break at the second turn, at which place her chances to win looked good.

But little need be said of the half mile dash race. After more than a dozen scores, Winnie King set the pace with Gordon Prince and Lookout Hal in close attendance. The trio passed Winnie King to a break in the homestretch and Gordon Prince won handily.

Princess Athel, quite outclassed her field in the $2,000 pacing, for three-year-olds, and she was far from her best form at that. She won the first heat comparatively easily, but she was hustled with whip, rein and voice in the second, although nothing looked dangerous. De Ryder evidently thought it best to not take any chances.

Joymaker was a decided favorite for the 2:08 trot, and he proved a good investment. Annie Little, Single K. and Birdie set the pace to the homestretch, and then Geers brought the favorite through and won with something to spare.

Local interest in the 2:05 pace made it one of the most entertaining features of the day. Betting was made the favorite at $50 with Frank Tolstoin $25, Nathan Strain, Joe Painter and Little Squaw $5 each, and the field—Lotanda and Shadow Chimes—$3. Murphy made a vigorous drive down the homestretch with the favorite, unable to see that he was half a length behind the leader. The time was a new record for the winner. The summaries:

The class trotting, purse $500, dash, one mile and an eighth:

Alexander Campbell, b. g., by Baron Star Gumming: 1 1 1
Ruth C., g. m. (Kinney): 2 2 2
Peerlessness, blk. g. (Geers): 3 3 3
Lentora, b. m. (De Ryder): 4 4 4
Traveloque, blk. g. (McGuire): 5 5 5
Victor, br. stlk. g. (Keller): 6 6 6
Time—1:08¼.

Sea Breeze Stakes, $5,000; 2:07 class, trotting; 1 in 3:

Consuela S., b. m., by Observant (De Ryder)	1	1	1
Dr. Strong, b. s., by Strong Boy (Gallagher)	4	2	2
John Taylor, g. g. (Wilson)	3	3	3
The Roman, b. g. (Snow)	2	4	dis
Worth, b. g. (Shank)	5	5	ds
Metallus, blk. m. (Anderson)	6	6	ds
Prince Greenlander, br. g. (Smith)	7	7	ds
George G., b. g. (Geers)	8	8	dis
Kismet, ch. g. (Kinney)	9	9	ds

Time—2:08¼, 2:08¾, 2:10.

2:07 class, pacing, purse $500, dash, one half mile:

Gordon Prince, br. g. by Granville (Snow)	1	1	1
Lookout Hal, b. g. (Shank)	2	2	2
Denver, b. g. (Dickerson)	3	3	3
Winnie King, ch. m. (Wilson)	4	4	4
Big Boy, b. g. (Butler)	5	5	5
Mark Hendricks, br. g. (Miller)	6	6	6

Time—:51¼.

Coney Island Stakes, purse $2,000; 2:20 class, trotting; three-year-olds:

Princess Athel, b. f., by Directum Kelly (De Ryder)	1	1	1
Wilson, b. c. (Wilson)	4	2	2
Major Gulliver, b. c. (Hudson)	3	3	3
Pleasant Delights, b. f. (McGrade)	2	dis	
Sandy Rood, br. c. (Dunn)	dis		
The Hermit, blk. f. (Freeman)	dis		

Time—2:14, 2:13¾.

2:13 class, trotting, purse $600; dash, one mile and a furlong:

Joymaker, b. c., by Normanic (Geers)	1	1	1
Single K., b. g. (Cummings)	3	2	2
Annie Little, b. m. (Thompson)	2	3	3
Sallie Earle, ch. m. (McGuire)	4	4	4
Blackburn, blk. g. (De Ryder)	5	5	5
Birdie, br. g. (Davis)	6	6	6
Morn, ch. g. (Bringhurst)	7	7	7

Time—2:09¼.

2:05 class, pacing, purse $600; dash, one mile:

Harry G., b. m., by Sky Hot Murphy)	1	1	1
Frank Tolstoin, b. g. (Greenall)	3	3	3
Lacandar, br. g. (Rosenfeld)	4	4	4
Nathan Strain, b. g. (Snow)	2	2	2
Joe Painter, b. g. (Hudson)	5	5	5
Little Squaw, blk. m. (Gallagher)	6	6	6
Shadow Chimes, br. g. (McDonald)	7	7	7

Time—2:08¾, 2:08¾, 2:12¾, 2:08¾.

The second and last day opens with the Long Island Stakes $5,000 stake for 2:09 trotters. Snyder Motsinger, the winner last week, Stanley Dillon, the winner at Detroit, Bonnie Russell, another winner last week, and a good field will start. The $5,000 stake for 2:08 pacers is taken on the card, and Gallagher, the sensational winner last week, will again meet a fast field. In addition there are three dash events.

Rogue Players Meet.

Norwich, Conn., Aug. 15.—Indications to-night point to the most largely attended tournament that has been held by the National Rogue Association in the twenty-two years of its history. The national championship games will commence to-morrow morning on the grounds of the Norwich Rogue Club. Twelve fast courts have been newly graded and are as smooth as a billiard table.

The prominent players already here are C. Coe of Malden, Mass., champion of the United States, who is in fine fettle to defend the title won last year. N. Drake of Springfield, Mass., W. Hilary Hogeland of Philadelphia, J. E. Webb and H. T. Webb of West Chester, Pa., J. J. Baker, Charles N. Bryant and Capt. Henry Wahly of Washington, F. M. Baldwin of Danbury, Conn., Dr. L. L. Davenport and S. A. Davenport of Northampton, Mass., Samuel M. Crosby of New York, C. B. Graves of Bridgeport, Conn., George C. Strong, Frank Simson, H. D. Tilley and F. S. Jones of New London, Conn., Dennison Coupler of Brattleboro, Vt., and N. L. Bishop and W. S. Decker of the city.

W. H. Wahly of Washington, who has been champion three times, will be kept away by business. The annual meeting will be held to-morrow night to elect officers and the championship games will be finished on Friday night. There will be no playing for the Van Wagle badge this year.

Golf.

Brampton, N. Y., Aug. 15.—The fourth annual championship of the Tuxavantha Golf Club attracted a large crowd to the local links to-day. Six of the twenty-two competitors were weeded out in a preliminary round. The first round matches and two in the second were also played to-day. The scores:

Preliminary Round—J. Cooper beat F. Carroll, 4 up and 3 to play. J. H. Richards beat R. Bishop, 1 up and 4 to play. Dr. John Beadle beat H. Van Loan, 4 up and 3 to play. J. Lyman beat P. Campbell, 3 up and 2 to play. M. H. Donovan beat G. Langhup. C. Smith beat W. Haddock, 4 up and 2 to play.

First Round—J. H. Richards beat J. Cooper, 4 up and 2 to play. Dr. John Beadle beat J. Lyman, 4 up and 4 to play. M. H. Donovan beat C. Smith, 2 up and 1 to play. L. Conklin beat J. C. Whitney, 3 up. J. J. O'Brien beat C. Butler, 1 up. W. H. Carter beat J. Chapman, 1 up. Dr. A. Reed beat F. E. Bliss, 4 up and 1 to play. F. Parsons beat F. S. Bailey, 4 up and 3 to play.

Second Round—Carter beat O'Brien, 3 up and