NEWS OF BASEBALL TEAMS --- HORSE SALE --- RACING

USUAL DEFEAT FOR GIANTS' RECRUITS

Are No Stronger as Armadillos Than as Enchillados Against the Regulars.

SCORE 10—5 IN 8 INNINGS

Burns Hits Homer Off Young Grody, Pride of New York's East Side.

By DANIEL.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 14.—John McGraw's recruits this afternoon learned anew the truth of that old saying that no matter what you may call a rose it's odor changeth not. Not that the rookies played the part of roses or anything like them. Rather were they for a good part of their engagement with the Tortillas, or Giant regulars, blushing violets. At any rate, seeking a change of luck after their overwhelming defeat of last Thursday, the recruits changed their names from the Enchillados to the Armadillos. The new designation seemed more warlike, but the youngsters took their beating just the same. The score was 10 to 5.

For the first time since the intraclub series was started McGraw sent the two sections of the Giants past the sixth inning limit. He let them go eight, with pitchers working in four inning relays. For the regulars Pol Perritt and Rube Benton did the flinging, with the honors going mostly to Perritt. Bob Grody, the pride of East Fifty-ninth street and Second avenue, and Claude Davenport, 6 feet 5 inches of right handed pitcher, did the flinging for the recruits.

Perritt kept the youngsters in leash for three innings. Not until the third did they get to him for a safety. Benton was smacked for six hits and four runs in his portion of the assignment. Grody made his first appearance since he came here, and it was plain that he was suffering from nervousness. Whenever he forgot that he was facing the men who will wear New York's colors in the National League he did fairly well. But as soon as he put too much mental stress on the nature of the opposition he was whaled in right smart style.

Cannot Blame Grody.

However, you hardly could blame Grody for what happened, for he had the misfortune to get off to a bad start. To begin with he pitched a fine strike to Burns. It was what might have been called a beauty, and perhaps Grody became just a little too confident. At any rate, the next pitch was straight and waist high. Burns did the smiling then. He leaned on the ball with enthusiasm and away it sailed over the left field fence. "I knew where that was going just as soon as he pitched it," Burns laughed as he began a dog trot around the bases. It was Burns's first homer of the year.

Next to Burns's swat the most virile blow of the hot afternoon was a three base hit by Butch Henline, who caught for the Armadillos. Benton hit Barcroft with a pitched ball and then served one to Henline a bit low. The catcher caught the ball on the tip of his bat and sent it winging to left, scoring Barcroft.

In all, the regulars collected fourteen hits, with Frisch and Gross showing the way with three singles apiece. Kelly and Rapp each made a couple of safeties, while Gonzales, who had not worked for a long time, hit a single and a double. Barcroft, with two singles, was the only Armadillo to get more than one hit.

The lineup:

ARMADILLOS.	TORTILLAS.
Spencer, cf.	Burns, lf.
Monroe, 2b.	Gross, ss.
Walker, lf.	*Frisch, 2b.
King, 1b.	Young, rf.
Kane, 2b.	†Kelly, 1b.
Burkett, ss.	Brown, cf.
Bancroft, rf.	Rapp, 3b.
Henline, c.	Gonzales, c.
*Grody, p.	†Perritt, p.
Davenport, p.	Benton, p.

*Grimes batted for Grody in the fifth inning.

†Smith batted for Perritt in the fourth inning.

Score by innings:									R.	H.	E.
Armadillos...	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	0—	5	8	3
Tortillas.....	2	2	0	0	3	2	1	0—10	14	1	

Errors—Burkett, 2; Kane, Rapp. Singles—Spencer, Walker, 2; Burkett, Bancroft, 2; Davenport, Gross, 3; Frisch, 3; Kelly, 2; Rapp, 2; Gonzales. Two base hits—Monroe, Kane, Young, Gonzales. Three base hit—Henline. Home run—Burns. Stolen bases—Spencer, Walker, 2; Kelly. Hits—Off Perritt, 2 in 4 innings; off Benton, 6 in 4 innings; off Grody, 5 in 4 innings; off Davenport, 9 in 4 innings. Umpire—Bill Brennan.

Notes of the Giants.

The game this afternoon was the preliminary to an added contest between the Giants and San Antonio to-morrow. This fifth game with the Bears was scheduled this morning and will be played for charity. Society is taking a keen interest in the affair and so are the visiting cattlemen, who are buying tickets in big blocks.

The regulars' victory to-day make it three out of five for them in the series with the recruits. The rookies have about given up hope of scoring any further triumphs over the oldsters.

The recruits are as anxious as a lot of schoolboys the day before promotion. To-morrow McGraw will announce who will move on to Dallas on Friday with the main division and who will go with Dick Kinsella's second team to Waxahachie to meet the White Sox and then on north through Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas.

This one is hard to believe, but take it as the gospel truth. On the first day of practice here Ross Young lost a ring out in right field. After an hour's vain search he decided to quit. This afternoon Monroe hit a double into right and the ball kicked up that ring. Honest to goodness. The gospel truth.

Howard Burkett got a couple of errors at short for the Armadillos, but there was a reason. Jess's son is suffering from a sore arm and should have been on the bench, but father said that the best way to get rid of the soreness was to work it out.

Walker has a great arm and is proving it almost every day. This afternoon he came through with a remarkable throw to the plate in the second and got Rapp, who was trying to score from second on Gonzales's long single.

Very hot here to-day. Shut our eyes and could hear Harry Stevens's sweet singers execute their ditty about ice cold drinks and ice cream.

FALLON FORDHAM CAPTAIN.

At a meeting of the Fordham University basketball team yesterday afternoon Tommy Fallon, the star forward, was elected captain for next season. Fallon is a product of Rye High School, Rye, N. Y., and also attended the Springfield Y. M. C. A. College for a year prior to his coming to Fordham.

WHAT is a Business Opportunity? Explain your idea in a Want Ad. under that heading and put your proposition across. See classified section.—Adv.

THE·LISTENING·POST

BY WALTER TRUMBULL

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HE SAYS HE'LL BE OVER IN OUR YARD.

TEX RICKARD is not worrying about the appearance of either Carpentier or Dempsey on the date set for their battle. Granting that they are living and in good health, he is confident that they will be together in the ring on July 2. The only question is where the ring will be. Tex believes that he can answer this question within ten days.

Thierry J. Mallet, who handles Carpentier's affairs in this country, wrote Rickard, under date of March 10, that the fighting Frenchman would leave for the United States about the first of May. The letter, which we read, also said that Carpentier would tour Algeria for four weeks, giving exhibitions, and would return to Paris on April 12 for a couple of weeks rest before embarking.

It is said that Mme. Carpentier desires that Georges should cancel the match. If so she is a very unmercenary young woman. Leaving his share of the purse out of consideration, it would cost Carpentier $50,000 to back out now. That is *beaucoup d'argent*. Even in la belle Paris that would buy a couple of spring bonnets and a Poiret kimono or two. It is true that Georges has his forfeit posted on the other side of the ocean, but it is posted subject to the order of a bank on this side, and he would have a tough time taking it down.

This life, in sooth, would be a bore,
This world a sad dominion,
If no one ever voiced a roar
Or helped the balance to restore
By difference of opinion.

SOME SHOOTING!

In regard to the player who dropped the ball inside the smokestack, James Pillow of Cold Spring on Hudson writes us:

"If I remember correctly Van Haltren, once with the Giants, knocked a fly through a knothole in the outfield fence, and investigation proved that the hole was a snug fit for a baseball."

This was some shooting, but we still think the smokestack demolisher was the more skilful artilleryman. Van Haltren could see his target, whereas the other man was obliged to use high angle fire and calculate his angle of fall.

Tee up! Tee up! Was that a robin's call?
Skies are getting blue.
Tee up! Tee up! Wallop the little ball,
Swing and follow through.
Tee up! Tee up! There goes that slice again
Out where the grass is high.
We do not care a dime. We've had all winter time
To polish up the alibi.

BASEBALL DATA CONDENSED.

Baseball originated in the United States in 1839. A baseball umpire was first called a "robber" in 1839.

The first rules were compiled in 1845. A way to evade the rules was first found in 1845.

Baseball uniforms were adopted in 1849. There is now some talk of having a few uniforms made with the stripes running around instead of up and down.

In 1859 no player was allowed to play who received money for his services. This rule has been changed.

The regular system of scoring was introduced by Henry Chadwick in 1864. The first argument concerning whether a base hit or an error should be scored occurred in 1864.

In 1879 the staff of umpires was first introduced. Since 1879 rooters never have called umpires the names by which they were introduced.

In 1885 whitened rubber was authorized as material for the home plate. Solid marble apparently was reserved for the construction of the domes of certain of the players.

According to advices from the Robins' camp at New Orleans there is going to be a lot of trading in Wheat in the near future.

THE DAVIS CUP.

Few people realize the tremendous growth of tennis in the past few years. The number of entries for the Davis Cup makes that coming event one of the most interesting and important international contests ever held. Racquet wielders from almost every corner of the globe will gather at Forest Hills in an effort to take the trophy home. If a few years ago anyone had prophesied that more than a dozen countries and territories would challenge for the Davis Cup someone immediately would have telephoned to the nearest brain specialist.

Tennis used to be considered an effeminate pastime. Comparatively few persons knew enough about it to realize that to play really good tennis requires a higher perfection of physical condition than almost any other game. The year the New York Yankees trained in Bermuda some of the newspaper correspondents were tennis players and made use of the courts on the island. The baseball men made jeering offers of pink ribbons and other decorations until finally themselves lured on to the courts. They then became so infatuated with the game that after they returned they used to keep racquets in the club house and practise tennis strokes in the corner of the outfield.

It looks as if, before being reinstated, some baseball players would be obliged to find complete vindications under their pillows.

RUETHER SIGNS A DODGER CONTRACT

Sherrod Smith Is Out in Uniform for First Time—Rain Stops Practice.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

NEW ORLEANS, March 14.—Manager Robinson and his champion Brooklyns are of the belief that "Jupe Pluvius" is a native of this city. Owing to the poor condition of the field as a result of yesterday's cloudburst there was no morning practice sessions to-day.

Robinson ordered his squad of athletes to the park an hour earlier than usual for the afternoon workout, and the players therefore were able to get an hour's workout. When everything was set for another practice tilt it started to rain heavily, and Robbie ordered his players to run around the park in the downpour and call it a day's work.

Tommy Griffith is thinking seriously of composing a song entitled "It Never Rains in New Orleans."

Sherrod Smith, the broad shouldered southpaw, was in uniform for the first time and devoted his time to a game of catch, with Zach Taylor as his partner.

Walter Ruether, former Red southpaw, signed a contract this morning. The left hander, who was obtained from Cincinnati for Rube Marquard, went through a good workout and is eagerly waiting for an opportunity to try his arm out against Babe Ruth and other sluggers in the Yankee batting array. Walter is delighted with the trade that made him a member of Robbie's team, and he is going about the task of conditioning himself for the pennant race in an enthusiastic manner.

Wallace Hood, a young outfielder, arrived here late last night. He is a holdout and did not put on a uniform today. The player held a long conference with President Ebbets this morning, but the document offered to him evidently did not appeal to him. It is probable, however, that he will sign.

To-morrow morning Robbie will take his champions out of the city for two days. They will meet the St. Louis Browns in Bogalusa Tuesday and Wednesday.

FALCONS WIN AT HOCKEY.

PHILADELPHIA, March 14.—With Mayor Thomas L. Church of Toronto as their chief rooter the Falcons, Olympic champions, made their Philadelphia debut by defeating the All Stars in the first of the three scheduled hockey games at the Ice Palace last night by four goals to three. The Falcons meet the speedy Metropolitans to-morrow and the All Stars again Wednesday evening.

LLOYD JORDAN ELECTED CAPTAIN.

PITTSBURGH, March 14.—Lloyd Jordan of Punxsutawny, Pa., has been elected captain of the 1922 University of Pittsburgh basketball team. Jordan was the star of this year's five. He is a sophomore.

PLAYERS SCORE IN BASEBALL SCANDAL

Judge Refuses State's Request to Take Indicted Sox Cases Off Court Call.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

CHICAGO, March 14.—"Baseball players are galley slaves, subject to the iron will of the magnates and treated by them like cutthroats and bandits while being used as a lure to drag the public to games."

These few remarks were tossed into the world's series scandal of 1919 today by Attorney Benedict J. Short, counsel for four of the defendant former White Sox, when the State appeared before Judge William E. Dever to ask that the cases against the indicted players and alleged gamblers be taken off the court call.

"Who says these men will never be back in baseball?" asked Mr. Short. Comiskey says so and Johnson says so. If the baseball oligarchy has its say on this subject perhaps they will never go back. But these men are entitled to a fair trial by a jury, who shall say whether they are guilty of the conspiracy charged. These men are honest men, and yet they have been treated like bandits and burglars.

"If there has been a conspiracy, and it takes astute lawyers three, four, five months to figure out what the conspiracy is, then that conspiracy must be chimerical."

Judge Dever decided against the State and ordered all principals before him next Thursday, at which time, he stated, an early date for the trial will be set.

The prosecution announced that the State had lost the testimony of Eddie Cicotte, Claude Williams and Joe Jackson and needed plenty of time to build up a new case.

Charis A. Comiskey, owner of the White Sox, said after hearing Judge Dever's decision:

"These players are on my ineligible list. It was not necessary for Judge Landis to put them on his, but I am glad that he did, as it justifies my position. There is absolutely no chance for any of them to play on my team again unless they can clear themselves to my satisfaction of the charges made against them by three of their teammates."

COLUMBIA ELECTS WATSON.

"Leck" Watson, star centre on the Columbia basketball team for the last two years, has been elected to lead the Blue and White passers for the coming season. Watson is the only junior on the team and his election was expected.

ST. JOHN'S FIVE LEAD.

St. John's Prep basketball team last night defeated the Cathedral Prep five in St. Michael's Lyceum. The score was 39 to 26. It was the twenty-third straight victory for the winning team.

MEUSEL SUSPENDED, THEN REINSTATED

Tells Huggins That He Was en Route When Ultimatum Was Sent.

By WILLIAM B. HANNA.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

SHREVEPORT, La., March 14.—With the long, lean and hard hitting Bob Meusel here and out for practice a few hours after arrival from dear old Los Angeles, the Yankee infield situation became more complicated to-day. After a savage rain and wind storm, savage enough to blow or wash away all of Louisiana not nailed down, the sun came out in the afternoon hot enough to dry out anything not at the bottom of the sea, and the Yankees had a beneficial post meridian practice.

Everything is all right, not to say calm and serene, between Meusel and the club. He was suspended yesterday for failure to let himself be heard from by a certain time, but explained to Huggins to-day that he was en route at the time the ultimatum was sent. The explanation was satisfactory and he was reinstated.

In the infield practice this afternoon Pipp was on first, Ward at second, his probable ultimate position this year; Mitchell at short and Meusel and McNally at third. Peckinpaugh hasn't played his old position yet. He says he thinks his salary difference with the club will be straightened out in a day or two.

Ruth beat it to town after the batting practice. The defensive drill wasn't graced with his large and urbane presence for the reason that he had to hurry in and make out his income tax return. That, judging from the reported many avenues of income enjoyed by Mr. Ruth in 1920, will be "some job."

It was evident that Meusel has been playing on the coast. He was too supple and active afoot for a man beginning the season. But in what capacity he will be used by the club is the veriest guesswork. Huggins himself doesn't know. Nobody at present can foresee the makeup of the Yankee infield. Meusel is satisfied with his contract with the Yankees, which he will sign when it gets here, and has told Huggins he would give better service than last year. We shall see what we shall see.

The rainy spell here has left the Yankees short of work, especially the regulars, but Al Woods, the trainer, says better that way than too much work. "Their improvement will be sure," he added. "And when they do get in condition they'll stay there."

Two of the seasoned pitchers had stiff workouts on the mound. They were Jack Quinn and Harry Harper. Quinn always reaches form early, though a veteran. Harper mostly threw a straight ball to the batters with the idea of getting it over. That was his aim—to put it over the plate. His control of the straight one was all right.

When the infield aforementioned was cutting its capers Schang was behind the bat, the first time for him this spring. He made it a short session. Meusel shifted to first for a while. Fewster didn't practice. He bruised a thumb in the game yesterday making a fine and flossy play.

For the five game trip to Lake Charles, New Orleans and one or two uncharted stations, beginning to-morrow night, Huggins will take the following men: Catchers, Hoffman and Schang; pitchers, Mays, Quinn, Harper, Piercy, Ferguson, Doyle and Clifford; infielders, Ruth, Fewster, McNally, Mitchell and Ward; outfielders, Wingo, Roth and Bodie; unclassified, Meusel. Mays, Quinn and Harper haven't been in a game yet, but are in excellent physical, if not pitching, trim.

Rip Collins, the Texas pitcher, like Meusel, received a notification to report or be suspended and sent word he would be here to-morrow.

Bob Gilks, the scout who dug up J. A. Cook, University of Alabama pitcher, for the Yankees, had word from that party to-day saying Judge Landis had instructed him to report, but he didn't say where. It seems the New Orleans club claims Cook's services, and whether he shall go to New Orleans or New York is for Commissioner Landis to say. "Tell Cook," Huggins directed Gilks, "to report to whichever club Judge Landis told him to report."

Joe Munson, real name Carlson, the outfielder and former Lehigh player, has been released to the Atlanta Southern League club. He is the first of the 1921 crop of youngsters to be transplanted.

Ping Bodie is hitting well and showing to good advantage in all departments. He has started the 1921 season with zest and desires to make it his best.

Waite Hoyt is fretting at not being able to get work for his pitching arm, but his injured thumb ought to be healed in a day or so, so that he will have had some work under his belt by the time the touring Yanks return from their jaunt to Southern parishes.

HAVANA ENTRIES.

First Race—Four furlongs, maiden 2-year-olds; purse $700. Oselle, 105; Naomi K., 105; Facenda, 108; Lotta G., 111; Bounce, 114; Byerss, 114; Trumpet Call, 114; Margaret Nash, 114; Fannie White, 114; Pinnacle, 114; Califa, 117; Cuba Encanto, 117.

Second Race—Five and a half furlongs; 3-year-olds; claiming; $700. *Harp of the North, 99; *Lotta Speed, 100; *Jim Fogg, 102; *Black Pat, 102; *Kayman, 102; Flow High, 105; Kathleen K., 105; *Lyric, 105; *Ravanna, 108; Our Jack, 110; Talent, 110; *Get Em, 110.

Third Race—Six furlongs; 3-year-olds up; claiming; handicap; $900. Princess Myrtle, 98; Betty J., 98; Black Prince, 99; The Blue Duke, 104; Guaranteed, 105; Assumption, 109; Sirocco, 106.

Fourth Race—Mile and fifty yards; 3-year-old up; claiming; $700. Helen Lucas, 83; *Velle, 97; *Leinster, 100; *Pokey B., 103; Ford, 104; Bohemia-Brenna, 104; Sentry, 107; King Ozi, 108; Plantarede, 108.

Fifth Race—Mile and fifty yards; 3-year-olds up; claiming; $700. *Hope, 98; *Lady Hester, 101; *Stiletto, 101; Mildred, 102; Big Idea, 102; *El Coronel, 103; *Sir William Johnson, 108; Double Eye, 109.

Sixth Race—Mile and fifty yards; 4-year-olds up; claiming; $700. *Ava R., 99; *Jellison, 100; *Hunter Platt, 100; *Guardsman, 103; *Chimera, 103; Rounding Through, 104; *Litholick, 105; *Clip, 106; Dolph, 108; *Pomerene, 109; Hocuir, 110; Jose De Vales, 111. *Apprentice allowance.

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Bancroft Has Fine Heart, Says Physician

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 14.—Davy Bancroft was out of the game to-day merely to rest up. Bancroft went to a physician this morning for a thorough examination. This is what the medico told him: "You have as fine a heart as any man on the Giants. Your stomach is a bit out of gear. But you get out of this office and forget about yourself. Eat anything you like and play ball."

YEARLING TROTTERS UNDER THE HAMMER

Forty-two Sold for $12,870 in Blue Ribbon Horse Auction at Garden.

Forty-two yearling trotters from the Kentucky studs of Walnut Hall Farm and J. R. Magowan and the Nebraska breeding establishment of E. D. Gould were sold yesterday at the opening of the Fasig-Tipton Company's blue ribbon horse auction in Madison Square Garden. They brought $12,870, an average of $306.

Eighteen colts and fillies by Guy Axworthy, 2:08¾; San Francisco, 2:07½ and other sires in the Walnut Hall consignment made $7,830, an average of $435. Mr. Magowan's fourteen yearlings, mostly by J. Malcolm Forbes, 2:08, made $3,225, an average of $230, while the ten Nebraska youngsters by Bingen Silk, 2:08¾, and Judge Maxey, 2:24½, brought only $1,815, an average of $181.

Prices for the yearlings ranged from $1,525 for Frisky Spirit, by San Francisco, to $70 for Deborah, by J. Malcolm Forbes. Ed Baker, Brookline, Mass., bought the topper Leo Oettinger, former owner of Guy Axworthy, paid $1,200 for Taffolet, a daughter of his old horse.

Buyers from England, Holland, and Italy were in the big crowd that attended the sale, but if any of them bought anything it was not in his own name.

The sale will end to-day. The best prices yesterday were:

Westy Hogan, br. g. (6 years), by The Earl; Frank Wecker, Brooklyn.....	$475
Grace Glory, 2:10¾, b. m. (7), by Peter the Great; John Walters, Crawfordsville, Ind.	1,100
Derby Day, b. c. (2), by J. Malcolm Forbes; G. A. Stedman, Lafayette, R. I.	450
Minnie Main, gr. f. (1), by J. Malcolm Forbes; G. S. Locke, Concord, N. H.	500
Tuffens, b. f. (1), by San Francisco; Dick McMahon, Libertyville, Ill.....	450
Soft Silk, b. f. (1), by San Francisco; W. J. Utton, Barton, Vt.....	600
Taffolet, b. f. (1), by Guy Axworthy; Leo Oettinger, New York.....	1,200
Frisky Spirit, b. f. (1), by San Francisco; Ed Baker, Brookline, Mass....	1,525
Bronze Frisco, blk. c. (1), by San Francisco; Ed Baker.....	610
Saint Maurice, b. c. (1), by San Francisco; A. E. Dorsey, Findlay, Ohio...	925
Snaffle, b. c. (1), by Guy Axworthy; Fatherland Farm, Ipswich, Mass.....	425
Iva Leu, 2:09¾, b. m. (9), by Grotlan Axworthy; W. H. Leese, Brooklyn...	1,500
Annie Judson, ch. f. (2), by Peter the Great; A. J. Furbush, Brighton, Mass.	1,025
Teddy Grattan, 2:09¾, pacing, b. g. (8), by Grattan Royal; A. B. Cummings, Harrisburg, Pa.....	1,110

RESULTS AT MOBILE.

First Race—Claiming; three-year-olds and upward; about five furlongs; purse $300. Anne's Pet, 100 (Wilson), 11 to 1, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, won; Dahinda, 112 (Meyer), even and 1 to 3, second; Petrograd, 118 (Mink), out, third. Time, 1:05 2-5. Also ran: Oriental and Helen Hartman.

Second Race—Three-year-olds and upward; about five furlongs; purse $300. Verge, 110 (Erickson), 9 to 4, 4 to 5 and 1 to 8, won; Dr. Shafer, 120 (Dinkinson), 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, second; Clean Up, 115 (Tillee), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:05. Also ran: J. B. Hertz, Harry Rudder, Old Rose and Courting.

Third Race—Claiming; three-year-olds and upward; about five furlongs; purse $300. Peppery Polly, 109 (Erickson), 11 to 20, 16 to 4 and out, won; First Pullet, 117 (Mink), 6 to 5 and 1 to 2, second; St. Just, 118 (Dinkinson), 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:04 4-5. Also ran: Plain Bill, Countess, Miss Kritter, Dr. Head and Lady Mildred.

Fourth Race—Claiming; handicap; three-year-olds and upward; one mile; purse $300. Water Turbrow, 110 (Erickson), 21 to 10, even and 1 to 2, won; Counterbalance, 117 (Mink), 3 to 5, and 1 to 3, second; Sir John Virgne, 116 (Howard), 6 to 5, third. Time 1:35. Also ran: Courin O'Mine, Kebo, Terrible Miss, Ogden Girl and Harvey Smart.

Fifth Race—Claiming; three-year-olds and upward; about six and a half furlongs; purse $300. Tiger Rose, 116 (Erickson), 3 to 5, 1 to 5 and out, won; Parrish, 115 (Meier), 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, second; Beeswax, 112 (Wilson), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:31. Also ran: Dick London, Dinty, and Olive James.

Weather clear; track muddy.

GENERAL MENOCAL SCORES IN HAVANA

Gets Bad Start, but Displays Speed in Stretch and Wins by Three Lengths.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

HAVANA, March 14.—Form players had a very poor afternoon at the Oriental Park track to-day, as only two favorites—Chantour and General Menocal—were successful. The four other events went to well played second and third choices.

General Menocal won the fourth event, a six furlong sprint, defeating in a romp a fairly good field. He ran a remarkable race. He was away very poorly and was outpaced to the stretch turn. Then he closed fast and, taking the lead at the sixteenth pole, won by three lengths. The summaries:

First Race—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Chantour, 115 (Meehan), even, 1 to 3 and 1 to 6, first; Dixie Flyer, 110 (Collins), 5 to 2, even and 2 to 5, second; Shasta, 115 (Hughes), 12 to 1, 3 to 1 and 6 to 5, third. Time, 1:08. Flip, Ascutney and Frank Burke also ran.

Second Race—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; six furlongs. Black Top, 95 (Penman), 5 to 2, 7 to 10 and 1 to 3, first; Rameau, 109 (Burns), 10 to 1, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Al Porter, 111 (Wilson), 4 to 1, 7 to 5 and 7 to 10, third. Time, 1:13. Disturbance, Aquirita, Uranium, Ava R. and Twenty-seven also ran.

Third Race—Purse $700; three-year-olds and upward; claiming; five and one-half furlongs. Loyalist, 110 (Fields), 3 to 1, even and 1 to 2, first; Perigourdine, 113 (Pickens), 4 to 1, 7 to 5 and 7 to 10, second. The Enquirer, 102 (Penman), 3 to 1, even and 1 to 2, third. Time, 1:07 2-5. Voorin, Langhorne, Faux Col, Tarascon and Scarpia II. also ran.

Fourth Race—Purse $800; three-year-olds; six furlongs. General Menocal, 105 (McDermott), 7 to 5, 1 to 2 and 1 to 4, first; Dr. Charles Wells, 112 (Pickens), 3 to 1, even and 1 to 2, second; Mavehona, 107 (Wilson), 5 to 2, even and 1 to 2, third. Time, 1:13 3-5. Paney, Natural, Plus Ultra, Whippet and Cabin Creek also ran.

Fifth Race—Purse $700; four-year-olds and upward; claiming; mile and fifty yards. Fireworth, 95 (Robinson), 5 to 2, even and 1 to 2, first; O'Malley, 110, (Kelsay), 8 to 5, 1 to 2 and 1 to 4, second; Timothy J. Hogan, 110 (Dawson), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, third. Time, 1:44 2-5. Hope, Janice Logan, Homom, Fly Home and War Tax also ran.

Sixth Race—Purse $700; four-year-olds and upward; claiming; one and one-sixteenth miles. Incinerator, 99 (Lowe), 10 to 1, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1, first; Broadline, 104 (Pickens), 5 to 2, even and 1 to 2, second; Misericorde, 108 (Kelsay), 7 to 2, 6 to 5 and 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:46 2-5. Slippery Silver, Amma J., Hush, Sol Gilsey, Semper Stalwart, Attorney Muir and White Haven also ran.

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