MISS BENNETT WON LIKE A GOOD FILLY.

George Bennett's Youngster Captured the Little Rock Feature Galloping.

SCHORR'S ENTRY WAS SECOND.

Four of the Six Races Went to Favorites—Lillian Reed at Long Odds Won Final Event in Fast Time.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Little Rock, Ark., March 29.—Four out of six winners of today's events were hot favorites. The attendance was good, the track fast and the weather perfect. The event of the day was the Turf Congress Sweepstakes for 2-year-olds. It was the best stake field of the meeting, there being eight starters. Dan Paxton was the only one scratched. The race was at a half mile, and the time, :50½, is considered very good for this track. The Schorr entry, Silverdale and Joe Frey, were the favorites. Tommy Burns had the Silverdale mount and finished second behind Miss Bennett, who won easily by five lengths. It was very evident that Silverdale was outplayed. Burns got all that was possible out of him.

Menu, a favorite, captured the first race handily. Farmer Gilmett, a hot favorite, was first in the second race, although hard pressed by Sylvia Morton, scoring his team half a length at the wire.

Chesterfield II won the third, and W. B. Gates the fifth. Both were favorites. The sixth race was won by Lillian Reed, in a canter. She opened at 40 to 1, and was induced down to 5 to 1. She and Miss Bennett were the only outsiders that scored.

The Summaries.

First race, selling, six furlongs: Menu, 107 (Lyons), 6 to 5, 1 to 5 and even, won; Gladiator, 107 (Ward), 10 to 1, 3 to 1 and even, second; Jennie Reid, 105 (Dean), 10 to 1, 3 to 1, even, third. Time, 1:16½. Also ran: Fleetwood, Sir Cecil, Lady Mary, Bessie Wilson, Sir Dixie, Ben Davis, Dolly Varden, Sir Kenneth, Ben Brown, Ben Ali, Ben Chief, Sir Cassidy, Sir Lancelot, Sir Walter, Sir Sadie and Sir Sam.

Second race, one mile and 20 yards, selling: Farmer Gilmett, 104 (Ward), 3 to 1, 1 to 2 and even, won; Sylvia Morton, 107 (Lyons), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, second; Ben Frost, 104 (Dean), 3 to 1, 1 to 2 and even, third. Time, 1:47. Also ran: Ben Davis, Ben Brown, Ben Ali, Ben Chief, Sir Walter, Sir Sadie and Sir Sam.

Third race, one mile and a sixteenth, selling: Chesterfield II, 107 (Dean), 3 to 1, 1 to 2 and even, won; Ben Davis, 104 (Lyons), 3 to 1, 1 to 2 and even, second; Sir Lancelot, 107 (Ward), 3 to 1, 1 to 2 and even, third. Time, 1:47. Also ran: Sir Walter, Sir Sadie, Sir Sam, Sir Cassidy and Sir Kenneth.

Fourth race, one mile—Lillian Reed, 109 (Dean), 40 to 1, won; Commander, 107 (Dawson), 6 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, second; Ethel, 104 (Ward), 3 to 1, 1 to 2 and even, third. Time, 1:44½. Also ran: Bessie Wilson, Lady Mary, Ben Davis, Dolly Varden and Lulu Neville also ran.

Little Rock Entries.

First race, five furlongs:
Monoghan ..... 109 | Quive 110
Schmidtbauer ..... 112 | Adhesive 112
Gracia ..... 112 | Epworth 112

Second race, selling, six furlongs:
Classic B ..... 92 | Jersey 104
John F. Vogt ..... 96 | Belmar Cone 103
Borden ..... 99 | Belle of Erin 104
Eva Wilson ..... 99 | Brass 108
Commonwealth 101

Third race, selling, six furlongs:
Martin Duke ..... 91 | Pirate Judge 100
Raceblad ..... 96 | Captain Lamar 102
Her Favor ..... 98 | Dolly Hollis 103
Sir Eldish ..... 101 | George H. Ketcham 111
La Masotta 106

Fourth race, five furlongs:
This Bee ..... 99 | Ben Frost 104
Acushla ..... 102 | By George 104
Gath ..... 104 | Myrtle Van 102

Fifth race, selling, mile:
Menu ..... 111 | Sir Blaise 95
Colonel Cassidy ..... 99 | Lord Neville 106

Madison Turf Exchange.

Trains leave foot of Olive street 1 p. m., 1:30, 2, 2:30, 3:35, 3:20, 4, 4:25, 5:35, 6:25.

ADVANCE GUARD'S GOOD RACE.

Packed Top Weight in the Pacific Union Handicap.

San Francisco, March 29.—Advance Guard won the Pacific Union Handicap at Oakland to-day. Weather clear, track fast. Summaries:

First race, futurity course, selling—Orion, 115 (Henry), 3 to 2, won; Poorlands, 105 (J. Daly), 12 to 1, second; Crofter, 111 (Fauntleroy), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:11¼. Bonibel, Aunt Bird, Mainstay, Bastile, Sir Casimir, Chappie, Polka and Tourist II also ran.

Second race, four furlongs, 2-year-olds—Screenwell Lake, 105 (Ross), 10 to 1, won; Bavasea, 110 (Mills), 10 to 1, second; Ecnic, 110 (Ames), 6 to 1, third. Time, :48¾. Bernato, Montana, Chieftain, Elkarn, Andrattus, Wistful, Maude Hildreth and Intrada also ran.

Third race, one mile and an eighth—Pacific Union Handicap—Advance Guard, 122 (Purcell), 7 to 10, won; Limerick, 110 (Ross), 4 to 1, second; Constellator, 112 (J. Woolfolk), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:54½. Rathos, Boundee, My Gipsy, Jolly Briton and La Roggia also ran.

Fourth race, one mile and a sixteenth, selling—Ale to Bed, 107 (Powell), 7 to 10, won; Rosinante, 106 (Fauntleroy), 3 to 1, second; Flamora, 96 (Mounce), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:47. Scotch Plaid, Tekla and Imperious also ran.

Fifth race, handicap, six furlongs—Prus Blue, 95 (Buchanan), 8 to 1, won; Miss Rowena, 98 (Powell), even, second; Good Hope, 92 (Mounce), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Virgo, Cormorant, Silver Maid, Aujon, Aluminum, Ben Lodi and Henrietta G. also ran.

Sixth race, seven furlongs, selling—Montallade, 99 (Buchanan), 15 to 1, won; St. Cuthbert, 105 (Rose), 12 to 1, second; Lost Girl, 106 (Powell), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:28½. Alarita, Tarda, Queen Ann, Lode Star, Storm King, Cascade, Lavator and Silvertone also ran.

Oakland Entries.

First race, selling, six furlongs:
Gusto ..... 112 | Tillie d'Or 97
Flueshot ..... 114 | Tanoka 99
Tom Sharkey ..... 107 | St. Anthony 99
Marco Seven ..... 99 | Tribesja 99
Maudine ..... 107 | Morella 104
Corolla ..... 107 | Summer 109

Second race, one mile and a sixteenth:
Expedient ..... 86 | Tom Calvert 111
Mortgage ..... 91 | Don Luis 94
Dagtown ..... 101 | Doctor 104

Third race, seven-sixteenths:
Ashrolls ..... 115 | Nell Courie 108
Carlo ..... 111 | Illusion 104
Ghaste ..... 111 | Grace Cup 108
Mrs. Brunnell ..... 111 | Creation 104
Girly Ducat ..... 111 | Ada N. 108
Princess Leota ..... 111 | Homage 108

Fourth race, fifteen-sixteenths, selling:
Rosalbra ..... 112 | Imp. Clonsilla 108
Galena ..... 98 | Monda 110
Bly ..... 99 | Montanus 110
Billy Moore 99

Fifth race, seven furlongs, free handicap:
Poorlands ..... 86 | Pompino 98
Mamie G. ..... 85 | Vesuvian 104
Good Hope ..... 86 | The Fretter 106
Rosermonde ..... 113 | Olinthus 103

Sixth race, one mile, selling:
Realist ..... 111 | Alaria 105
Grand Sachem ..... 111 | Lochia 107
Pomro ..... 114 | Facade 107
Captive ..... 114 | Nilgar 110
Jennie Reid 105

MONTGOMERY CANDIDATES' WORK.

Streamer Pulled Up Fresh After Doing a Mile in 1:43 3-4.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Memphis, Tenn., March 29.—The track was not overly fast this morning, but some excellent "works" are reported. Greatland worked a mile and an eighth in 1:59, and first half in :49. Cambrian and Parmenion worked a mile together in 1:46¾. Streamer worked a mile in 1:43¾. Belle of Memphis breezed three-quarters in 1:16. F. W. Beode worked a half in :50½, and Handwork stepped the same distance in :51.

Late yesterday afternoon Jolly Roger worked a mile handily in 1:47¾. Thrive was given a pipe-opener for his work to-morrow. The city is fast filling up with strangers, and the hotels and public places are crowded.

AMERICANS RIDING WELL.

Sloan and J. Reiff Landed Winners at Liverpool Meeting.

London, March 29.—The Prince of Wales Plate of 400 sovereigns, run at the Liverpool spring meeting to-day, was won by J. A. Miller's Bridge, with Tod Sloan up. The Duke of Devonshire's Vera was second and E. Molly's Bewitchment finished third in a field of eight. The betting was 5 to 1 against Bridge.

Mr. Dobbell's Florenza, ridden by J. Reiff, beat Mr. Anderson's Red Light in the race for the Toxteth Handicap. The betting was 6 to 5 on Florenza.

MILLIE THORNTON SOLD.

She Goes to Alabama as the Property of Roy Miller.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Lexington, Ky., March 29.—For $7,500 Sam Wilson of Lexington has sold to Roy Miller of Selma, Ala., the 5-year-old pacing mare Millie Thornton, by Happy Conner, dam Millie. She has a trial better than :2 0, and will be eligible to many rich engagements.

LICENSE REFUSED.

Patrick A. McCue Turned Down by the Jockey Club.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, March 29.—At the meeting of the stewards of the Jockey Club held this afternoon, a dozen of routine business connected with the coming season was transacted. The most important of this was the denial of the application for licenses made by Jockey Patrick A. McCue and Trainer Edward Redfier and W. H. Kearney. The application made by Robert S. Sullivan for a license to act as a jockey's valet was also denied.

The secretary was instructed to notify H. C. Hardy's stable that he is debarred from all racing under the jurisdiction of the Jockey Club under rule 92 of the rules of racing, in which the Western trainer and owner was ruled off by the Western Turf Congress for the assault on the newspaper writer D. C. Mulford.

A number of trainers and jockeys who were disqualified for training and ride at all unrecognized courses, were restored to all privileges.

Stewards for the season of 1900 were granted as follows:

Jockeys—George Covington, Melville Hoen, W. H. Blake, Jewett A. Clark, A. C. Hyde, W. Hamilton, A. R. Hesbert, Frederick Littlefield, W. Merritt, Wm. Meaney, Vincent L. Moore, John P. Nourse and Wm. Sims.

Trainers—W. M. Barrick, Wm. Beckett, Chas. A. Ballard, John Bermingham, J. Jeffries, Alex. Christian, John Chapman, Joseph A. Cook, T. P. Cullen, E. F. Dwyer, Wm. Donohue, G. J. Dwyer, W. B. Gilson, James Hogan, Thomas J. Healy, Wm. Hayward, Hankins, Hesbert, James G. Huggins, William Jennings, Robert Johnson, Wm. Kearney, Alfred Lakeland, C. Marsh, Isaac T. Miller, William Mack, P. Nolan, Thomas Merrill, Jr., Samuel Marshall, Charles Mack, Leonard Lieber, James Nolan, Jacob Pike, W. Newton, E. Steele, James Sinnett, John T. Sheridan, G. E. Smith, Chas. Shaw, Adolph Wheeler, John B. Walker, Charles Anderson and Wm. O. Smith.

TURF GOSSIP.

Imp's Inconsistency Prevents Her From Being Called a Great Mare.

Although Turner has not yet attached his name to a contract, it is almost certain that he will carry the turquoise blue and brown cap of W. C. Whitney during the coming season. There is no one who will question Turner's ability as a rider, as he has proven beyond question, and then frequently, that he is a star in the saddle. As Mr. Whitney has done nothing the last couple of years in the racing of his stable, Turner should surely do something towards breaking the run of winning jockeys.

Imp has run many good races, good enough to entitle her to the name of speedy, but she has also run like a jade when she felt like doing that not infrequently, while Charles E. Trevathan, consequently, she may not be called a great race mare and in some respects is not to be compared with Ballyhack. The great horse or mare is always great. Without illness or accident interfering, the great horse runs a great race every time he starts. Imp has not done that. Some of her races in Chicago were without redeemable class. She is either an in-and-outer or a starter, and as her people do not train and race her properly, they had a worthless one from that time. Up to the last month of the meeting she was not to the public or owners satisfaction. Yet now she is the foremost mare in the entire world of America, also in the one thing that every horse owner is hoping will be the winner of the Futurity. She may be one of them, she might win it, but I do not believe she will win any of them. There are horses in all the races who were able to attack her last season, and I see no reason why they ought to beat her in both the Brooklyn and Suburban. Her racing last year caused Hastings and Young to put a lot more weight upon her than she was asked to carry last season in the same events.

Manager McGuire intends to make liberal preparations for the campaign of the Hawthorne meeting this coming. That is the word he sends other association men doing for the Upper. Since the Nail Rail Hunt and Steeplechase association took hold of the jumping games in a serious way, there has been a disposition shown to make a high-class jumper pay a great deal of money, have been schooling a lot for two years. Just how there are to be timber races in Illinois I do not know, but I know that there are in America. New York will see some amusement in the way of the jumps when the big stakes of the association are being run at Westchester, and only to-day a National Hunt Racing Journal came to me telling me that there was a big demand in the country in behalf of the jumper. He is a good drawing card for tracks, and after a time will keep pace of that character of notoriety great. There will be at least twenty-five jumping horses at the Memphis meeting, and quite that number will be available for the racing in Chicago.

AMONG THE BOWLERS.

Standards Lost the Odd Game to the Uhrigs.

The Uhrigs and the Standards of the St. Louis Cocked Hat League met last night. The Uhrigs won the odd game handily, Suter and Gilmore led their teams. Score:

Uhrigs.				Standards.			
Name.	Tot'l.	Av.		Name.	Tot'l.	Av.	
Au rawald	124	42	4-5	R. May	169	56	1-3
Backof	154	51	1-3	Bookter	136	45	
Suter	211	70	1-3	Gleason	128	42	2-3
Dumont	182	60	2-3	Omak	182	60	2-3
Morlache	139	46					
Totals	1066	49	6-23	Totals	1008	49	8-23

Chamomiles, 3; Catnips, 2.

The Chamomiles of the Irrigate Cocked Hat League won the odd game from the Catnips last night. David and Schreiber led their teams. Score:

Catnips.			Chamomiles.		
Names.	Tot'l.	Av.	Names.	Tot'l.	Av.
Schreiber	229	45 2-5	Stark	215	43 1-5
Decker	216	43 1-5	Dodd	235	47
Self	191	38 1-5	Waldo	194	38 4-5
Schorlein	237	47 2-5	Dwarfie	191	38 2-5
Kadow	196	39 1-5	Nolle	211	42 2-5
Totals	1022	40 22-25	Totals	1046	41 22-25

Cote Brilliantes, 3; Prairies, 2.

The Cote Brilliantes of the Independent Cocked Hat League won the odd game from the Prairies last night. Score:

Cote Brilliantes.			Prairies.		
Name.	Tot'l.	Av.	Name.	Tot'l.	Av.
Stock	208	41 3-5	Sacrofrie	187	34 4-5
Peter	196	39 1-5	Cook	204	34 4-5
Kanniger	202	40 2-5	Barnett	192	38 2-5
Gump	202	40 4-5	Leslie	176	41
Bland	150	30	Schweitzer	176	41 3-5
Total	961	38 11-25	Total	990	39 10-25

Wellstons, 3; Connors, 2.

The Connors of the St. Louis Cocked Hat League were badly beaten by the Wellstons last night. Score:

Connors.			Wellstons.		
Names.	Tot'l.	Av.	Names.	Tot'l.	Av.
Harris	197	39 2-5	Fetter	222	44
Chenot	182	36 4-5	Allred	222	44 4-5
Brooks	193	38 3-5	White	187	37
Cantrell	207	41 2-5	Kramer	223	44 3-5
Atzelo	218	43 3-5	Timmerman	211	42 1-5
Totals	1024	40 24-25	Totals	1128	45 1-25

Burdocks, 3; Mustards, 2.

Although they secured thirty-eight more pins than the Burdocks, the Mustards of the Independent League dropped the odd game to them. Warmth and Hebble led their teams. Score:

Mustards.			Burdocks.		
Names.	Tot'l.	Av.	Names.	Tot'l.	Av.
Chenot	176	41 1-5	Acomas	211	42
Lawrenz	215	43	Warmth	212	42 2-5
Hebble	227	45 2-5	Frost	214	42 4-5
Junge	201	40 1-5	Eisenberg	209	41 4-5
Neu	220	44	Esterle	206	41 1-5
Totals	1039	42 19-25	Totals	1052	41 6-25

Sanners, 3; Belmonts, 2.

The Sanners and Belmonts of the St. Louis Cocked Hat League bowled an interesting match last night, the former winning the odd game. Score:

Sanners.			Belmonts.		
Name.	Tot'l.	Av.	Name.	Tot'l.	Av.
Stone	218	43 3-5	Leslie	182	36 4-5
Clark	189	37 4-5	Cochran	185	37
Kohl	194	38 4-5	Clark	187	37 1-5
Keller	216	43 1-5	Dolman	203	40 3-5
Gillwater	226	45 1-5	Gleason	213	42 3-5
			Crooker	177	35 4-5
			Kiernan	207	41 2-5
Total	1039		Total	904	

Jeffersons, 3; Columbias, 2.

The Jeffersons of the St. Louis Cocked Hat League won the odd game from the Columbias last night. Score:

Columbias.			Jeffersons.		
Names.	Tot'l.	Av.	Names.	Tot'l.	Av.
Rohr	207	41 2-5	Metz	247	49 2-5
Nuggerman	216	43 1-5	McNeary	202	40
Rose	201	40 1-5	Hertz	207	41 3-5
Neuhaus	215	43	Heathorn	224	44 4-5
Ness	219	43 4-5	Chilcot	199	39
Totals	1058	42 10-25	Totals	1088	43 12-25

HOMING PIGEONS.

Mound City Club Will Inaugurate Its Season on Sunday Next.

Mound City Homing Pigeon Club will inaugurate its spring races next Sunday by a training from De Soto, Mo., air line distance 96 miles, for $50. Races between birds owned by J. Parkinson and Henry Neyt. There is much friendly rivalry between these two fanciers and a close contest is looked for. The regular spring races of the club will commence May 5, with the annual race from Piedmont, Mo., air line, distance 165 miles, to be followed by races from Stuttgart, Ark., 250 miles; Alexander, Ark., 290 miles; Fulton, Ark., 400 miles, and Big Sandy, Tex., 540 miles. These will be the most important races flown in the West this year, for besides a money prize race, the club is having a handsome sterling silver cup (made value) at $100, donated by J. W. Peckington, a member of the club. This cup will be known as the Victoria Cup, and will be awarded to the fancier whose birds make the best average speed from 100 to 500 miles in the spring races.

Basket Ball Notes.

The North Side Y. M. C. A. Juniors defeated the South Sides at basket ball last Wednesday by a score of 30 to 15. The feature of the game was the passing of the North Side boys.

Basket ball teams Nos. 2 and 3 of the Union Club League met last night. The No. 2s won without any trouble by a score of 30 to 12.

Pana to Have Free Mail Delivery.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Pana, Ill., March 29.—Pana is to have free mail delivery. The receipts of the office the past year exceeded $10,000, and the free delivery system is assured.

WRECK HOLDS TEBEAU SOUTH.

St. Louis Players Could Not Get Away From Hot Springs Last Night.

RAILROAD WAS CLOSED UP.

Manager Does Not Like the Idea of Starting North on Friday, but His Athletes Are in Splendid Condition.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 29.—The heartbreaking plans of mice and men gang aft agley. Manager Tebeau of the St. Louis club believed to leave with his team for St. Louis this afternoon at 5:45, but a wreck on the Iron Mountain road near McIvern will delay his departure until to-morrow (Friday) afternoon. While Oliver is thankful that he and his men escaped the smashup, he does not like the idea of being compelled to start his journey northward on Friday, which all the world knows is an unlucky day. As he is due to play Rochester in St. Louis on Saturday afternoon it is Hodson's choice. He must go. His team is in fine condition as any that ever left the training grounds of the South to start on a six months' journey to the pennant.

The Regulars defeated the Cubs again today by the score of 14 to 7, making eighteen hits and no errors. Both teams made a number of changes during the game. Wallace repeated his brilliant work of yesterday at short today. Cross has played an excellent game at third base, while Isbell's fielding in center for the Cubs could scarcely be improved upon.

PLAY HERE SATURDAY.

Rochester Eastern League Team Started West Yesterday.

Rochester, N. Y., March 29.—Manager Buckenberger, captain Ferrell, trainer Jones and twelve men left for St. Louis to-day. Two more will leave in a couple of days. Little Jack Doyle is in the Eastern League, a man who, from every consideration, are paying his way to St. Louis. Doyle is a fine catcher, the Western boys know that. He is adept at off the bench. Rochester will play at St. Louis Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, then go to Louisville for a series of games with the Colonels, then home for Easter Sunday. Rochester will open the season with Buffalo, then go to Syracuse, then home. Rochester will be a contender for the pennant, and I believe that is the feeling of most of the Eastern clubs.

EWING SECURES HAWLEY.

Has Accepted Terms and Will Start for New York at Once.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, March 29.—Arrangements have been made and the signing of Pitcher Hawley, late of the Louisville team, has been completed. Hawley, who was one of the best pitchers in the Eastern League, is now in his prime, and is considered a very good pitcher. He is a hard hitter, and is a good fielder, and is a valuable man to have on a team. Hawley will be with the team when it leaves for the South on Monday, and will be ready to pitch in a game a week from Saturday. Hawley is a native of Illinois, and is about 25 years of age. He is 5 feet 11 inches in height and weighs 175 pounds. He is a right-handed pitcher, and bats and throws with the right hand. He is a good hitter, and is a good fielder. He is a good man with men on the bases, and is a good man to have on a team. He is a good man to have on a team. He is a good man to have on a team. He