

YALE'S STRONG "BACKS."

AHEAD OF ALL OF THE OTHER FOOT BALL RIVALRY IN THIS RESPECT.

Princeton's Efforts at Interference so Far Have Been Failure—Harvard's List of Invalids.

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PRINCETON'S BACKS ARE WEAK.

Speaking of Princeton's quarter backs, the fact which now seems a certainty, that Princeton's backs will be unusually weak this year. Capt. Trenhard is still very young to give up the thought of being a half-back.

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THE QUAKERS CAN'T COME IN YET.

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A PUPIL'S NIGHT MARE.

The Tortures that a Richmond High School Girl Suffered. A nightmare of an R. H. S. pupil. "Oh! if I could only get out of this horrible room."

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HORSES AND HORSEMEN.

NEWS OF THE PAST WEEK FROM THE VIRGINIA TRACK.

Something About the Animals That First Went Under the Wire at the State Exposition Meet—A Horse Show.

Cloudless skies, superb weather, clear, cool and bracing, marked the continuation of the Virginia State Exposition during the past week. The attendance was large and the exhibits good.

In the class for thoroughbred stallions, Arnon, by imported Charaxus, out of Wayward, by Lotus, captured the blue ribbon in the largest field shown. Arnon is a rich dark bay in color and a horse of exquisite quality and finish.

The first race on the programme was for yearling trotters, half-mile heats, for which there were only two starters, Arnon, a bay colt, by Phalanx, son of Phalanx, and Guy Fly, a chestnut by Lord Guy, dam Virginia Maid.

On Tuesday there were seven starters in the two-year-old class, trotting, mile heats. The race was won easily by the bay gelding Hampton, by Phalanx, dam Phalanx, driven by C. A. Pusey.

Wednesday furnished, probably, the best sport ever seen in the track, twice in the free-for-all trot and pace, and once in the three-year-old class trotting, for a purse of \$50, with four starters.

The second heat went to S. B. Nelson's gray filly, Miss Clay, in 2:19.1-2, and the first heat was won by Joseph Stator, when the daughter of Clay, son of Walker Morrill, drove by Willis, 2:14.2-4.

In the three-quarter mile dash, running with gentleman riders, Sup. W. C. Parkinson's chestnut gelding, Huster, by Huster, ridden by W. C. Parkinson, won first money; Cadet, ridden by Reed Hobson, second; and Fighting Kite, ridden by J. H. Bennett, third.

During the afternoon the bay gelding Rebus, 2:13-4, by Chesterwood, son of Nutwood, was sent to beat a record of 2:13. The first heat was a mere work out for him in 2:20, but later in the afternoon Barney Damaret drove the bay gelding a fast mile in 2:14.2-4.

The first race called on Thursday was for runners, mile heats, \$500. Both heats went to Frazier, pure second and Irish Pat, third. Eddie, by Frazier, was by Wilful, dam by Faissetto, and is owned by Col. Bennahan Cameron, Fairmount Park, Staunton.

All through this race the bay mare Lila, by Edwood, 2:18-2, dam Blaze, by F. V. bred by Preston Heize, of this city, was prominent and some thought she had the speed of the party but the clip was evidently too fast for her.

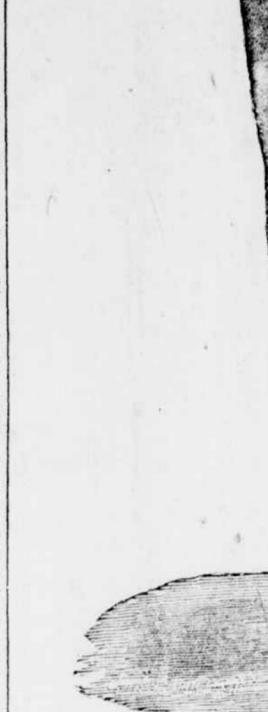
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