

GAME OLD LOGAN FIRST, WITH 20 TO 1 ABOUT HIM HE BEAT YO EL REY OUT A NOSE.

AND VINCOR RAN UNPLACED. Three Favorites Finished in Front. Red Root Took the Mile and a Half Run.

Logan likes our climate. Alex Shields' old racehorse arrived here from New Orleans during the latter part of last week, very little fatigued from his tiresome trip on the car, for he carries his ten years well. He surveyed the racing situation on Saturday, attended church on Sunday, and had the temerity to start in a mile dash

against the record-breaking Vincor yesterday. The latter horse was of course a odds on choice, the books holding him at 2 to 9. Logan opened at 10 to 1, wandered back to 20, and when a few sympathetic dollars found their way in on him the pencils largely chopped the odds to 15. A stiff play on Charles Fair's notorious sulker, Yo El Rey, the \$27,500 son of Joe Hooker and Marion, forced his odds down from 20 to 8 and 9 to 1. Lismore and Catch 'Em were lightly considered in the betting. When the flag fell, Lismore started out to show the way. Down the back stretch Yo El Rey shot to the front with a great burst of speed, leading Lismore half a length, after half of the journey he had been the wire was passed. The order of the race was unchanged as the stretch was reached. Logan was now looming up as a dangerous being, the favorite to all appearances being hopelessly beaten. The old fellow soon moved into second place, and opposite the draw-gate had the race to all appearances at his mercy. Yo El Rey responded to Chorn's urging, and Ballard had resort to the whip with Logan in the wire as he passed. The dark nose of the veteran shined in front, and he gained the verdict. It was the most exciting finish of the day. The mile was covered in 1:40 1/2. The balance of the racing was above the average. Favorites were successful in taking three of the six events on the card. The betting was extremely good for an off day.

THE CALL RACING CHART.

Tenth Day of the Winter Meeting of the California Jockey Club. Weather Fine. Track Fast. Bay District Track, San Francisco, Monday, January 6, 1896.

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THE "CALL" RACING GUIDE.

Today's Entries at the Bay District Track. In races where the horses have no record at the distance to be run the records at the next nearest distance are given.

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was a 6 to 5 favorite for the opening event on the card, a seven-furlong run, but only won in a hard drive from the long-priced outsider Joe K, who made all the running. The second event, at six furlongs, was another stubbornly contested race. Tim Murphy was a slight favorite over Red Glenn, with Emma D a strong third choice. Passing Oregon Eclipse and Huemene, who had been cutting out the running to the stretch, Timoano looked a likely winner. He was ridden by Tim Murrain, and Red Glenn the last hundred yards, the three passing the wire heads apart, Red Glenn finishing in front of the favorite, the outsider Timoano.

The mile and a half selling event went to the 6 to 5 favorite, Red Root. Bergen kept him back until the stretch was reached the second time, when he made his run. In a drive he beat Articus, who had made the running, a neck on the wire in 2:36. Fi Fi was third. Chartreuse was a 7 to 5 favorite for the six-furlong dash for mares, but Circe, the 9 to 2 second choice, carrying 85 pounds, made runs in the stretch, and won by three lengths, with the favorite in the place. The last race was captured by the 8 to 5 choice, Sea Spray, who was in front most of the race, but was overtaken by three lengths in the good time of 1:44 1/2. Jack Atkins nipped the second choice, Don Gar, out for the place.

Track and Paddock Items. There were no new faces on the block yesterday, the usual nineteen pencils cutting in. At his second essay in the saddle Charlie Ballard was more successful. His ride on Logan would suit the most fastidious racegoer. Pittsburg Phil was a strong supporter of the roan mare, Emma D.

Entries for the two-year-old stakes, foals of 1894, of the California Jockey Club, close on January 15. Ed Purser backed his horse, Red Glenn, in every book in the ring. Frank Cody got him to the wire first in clever fashion. Riley Grannan had his checks done on Yo El Rey for the making Thursday. "Jimmy" McCormack, who trains the Burns & Waterhouse horse, backed Logan to win, and told a friend he evened up his losses on the meeting.

The judges lined Jerry Chorn \$25 for his rickety-rickety ride on Tim Murphy. Jerry engaged in altogether too much bumping for safety's sake. The California Jockey Club has secured an extension of its lease to the Bay District track, which expires on March 1, and to continue racing on the present course to the end of the season.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Pacific Coast Jockey Club, held yesterday, they decided on making Thursday the opening day, ladies' day. A splendid programme has been arranged, and there will undoubtedly be a crush. Wednesday is the closing day of the Bay District track. The judges of the Baldwin Hotel stakes to be decided on Saturday at Ingleside track would be run before the close of the old year, the conditions stating as much. As in the case of one of the stakes run at the Bay District track the coming year will be decided under the December scale of weights.

Field Trial Contests. The Judges Selected Are Noted Sportsmen and Good Riders. Kittle and Jackson Are Members of the Country Club and Admire Setters.

Sportsmen who are interested in field trials and thoroughbred hunting dogs are now discussing the appointment recently made by the Pacific Coast Field Trial Club of gentlemen who will judge contests at Bakersfield on the 20th of this month. D. M. Pyle of Bakersfield is well known to the sportsmen who have attended field trial meetings in past years. He is a man of much experience and good judgment. Consequently his awards have given general satisfaction.

Andrew Jackson of this City is, comparatively, a young man in field-trial experience, but he showed such excellent judgment two years ago at Salinas in deciding the merits of some close and exciting races between pointers and setters that his friends then predicted that he would subsequently be looked upon as one of the leading authorities in this State on matters pertaining to field trials. W. S. Kittle, the third man selected, has had a lengthy experience in field sports and it goes without saying that he can tell a good dog the moment he sees one "quartered" on a rabbit or "frank" over a level piece of country. Mr. Kittle is considered the champion wing shot of the Country Club, and being passionately fond of dogs the Field Trial Club committee selected him as the best qualified to represent "in the saddle" as it could find among the many sportsmen at large.

Some people who are not members of the Field Trial Club, but who, nevertheless, are very keen on the sport, do not hesitate to say that H. T. Payne, the fish setter man, has had much to say in the selection of the judges this year. It has been stated that Payne was a guest of the Country Club not very long ago and while admiring the beautiful landscape, Payne suggested to Mr. Kittle, so the story goes, that he would make an excellent field trial judge, and that after much persuasion Mr. Kittle consented to take to the saddle. The contests will be held near Bakersfield on a preserved country where birds are plentiful, and if the weather should be fine grand sport will surely result. The dogs that have been entered for the trials are being well conditioned, and the owners are all confident of success—but then all dogs cannot win, not even in a field trial contest.

VICTIMIZED BY A FORGER. A. H. Holmes, Alias Dean, Secured \$20,000 on a Raised Draft.

Two Banks Are Interested. Crocker-Woolworth and the Nevada Bank May Have a Lawsuit Over the Loss.

Either the Nevada Bank or the Crocker-Woolworth National Bank, the courts will probably be called upon to determine which, has been swindled, and very cleverly swindled, out of \$20,000 by a shrewd sharper, who has disappeared leaving not the slightest clew behind for the detectives. A. H. Holmes or A. H. Dean, which are two of the names the swindler adopted, came to this City several months ago and represented himself to be a merchandise broker. He opened a small account with the Nevada Bank under the name of A. H. Dean. He drew money from the bank on several instances, but invariably replaced it, and it is now presumed that this was simply a ruse conceived by himself in order to gain the confidence of the people associated with the bank.

A few weeks ago he went to Woodland, ostensibly on a business trip, and during his stay in that city purchased a draft for \$12 on the Crocker-Woolworth Bank of this City. The draft was dated December 13, 1895, and on the 17th of December it was deposited in the Nevada Bank, but it had been raised in the intervening days, between the 13th and the 17th, to \$22,000. The check had originally been perforated with a machine which was heretofore supposed to be a safeguard against the efforts of the most skillful crook. Dean nevertheless filled up these holes so neatly that it takes a strong magnifying glass to distinguish this change. He then erased on the draft the letters "live" from the word "draft" and wrote in a hand that hardly be distinguished from the original the remaining letters and words necessary to complete the draft. After the letters "live" had been erased he added to the remaining "two thousand dollars." In the lower corner of the draft are the figures \$12.00 on a delicate scroll, but this was easily disposed of by adding another cipher and doctoring the "1" into a "2." As in the case of the other two checks raised for \$22,000 and it is now complete.

The check thus raised came to this City and was deposited in the Nevada Bank on the 17th ult. On the day following, the \$22,000 was taken to the clearing-house and cashed by the Crocker-Woolworth Bank. Dean immediately drew \$20,000 of the \$22,000, leaving \$2,000 as he said to be placed to his credit. He took the \$20,000 in two bags of \$1,000 each, and although this amount of money is quite heavy it is evident that Dean was not seriously hampered in making his departure.

It was three weeks before a demand was made on the Woodland Bank by the Crocker-Woolworth Bank for payment, and then the latter institution was informed that no such draft had been issued by it. The fact led to a careful scrutiny of the draft by experts and the fraud was discovered. Holmes or Dean is a man of medium height, of average build, with black hair and eyes and a black beard, and a nose of an average complexion that bore evidence of sickness or the use of some drug presumably opium. When last seen the swindler wore a long blue overcoat with a velvet collar and a black hat. His address was deliberately and he seemed to be a man of great self-possession. Taking it all in all he might be called handsome.

It is presumed that Dean has gone to Japan for the winter, for the country he sailed since his disappearance and he often talked about the Flowery Kingdom, expressing his opinion that he would like to reside there. I. W. Hellman of the Nevada Bank claims that his bank is not one cent the loser owing to the honoring of the forged draft.

"A man by the name of A. H. Dean opened an account with the bank some weeks ago," said Hellman yesterday, "depositing considerable currency. At times he drew small amounts, but always re-deposited the money and at times he 'quartered' on a rabbit or 'frank' over a level piece of country. Mr. Kittle is considered the champion wing shot of the Country Club, and being passionately fond of dogs the Field Trial Club committee selected him as the best qualified to represent 'in the saddle' as it could find among the many sportsmen at large."

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Institute of Applied Christianity. At a meeting of the Institute of Applied Christianity, in the Columbia building, last night, Dr. F. K. King gave an elaboration of a scheme of co-operation which he calls "The New Government." In brief, he said to have an organization, as a nucleus, on principles of love, justice and equality of rights, and then apply the recognized machinery of government to the organization and go into feasible business investments as a whole, the society to build up its finances from the margins of profit.

Woman's Occidental Board. At the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Occidental Board yesterday, new year's reports and greetings were received from the various schools and missions at Sacramento, San Jose, Los Angeles and San Barbara. All the reports showed satisfactory progress. Miss Palmer gave a talk on "Presbyterianism in California," and Miss Anna Cubertson and Miss Cameron reported that the Sacramento-street Home was in a flourishing condition.

dent is that it will devolve itself on the Crocker-Woolworth Bank. "It is nonsense to presume for a moment," said Mr. Lloyd, "that our bank will be held responsible for this loss or be governed in this case by article XV, section 2 of the clearing-house constitution, as it would be impossible within a few hours to find out whether or not such a draft had been bought in Woodland, which is quite a distance from this City."

"The Nevada Bank is the innocent party," said Mr. Dean or Holmes or whoever the man is, and through that fact they must stand the loss, as their stamp showing that the signature was genuine was on the draft. It is evident from the opinions given by these representatives of the two banks involved in the case that the fact as to who is the loser will have to be settled by the courts. If it comes to trial through pretty technicalities regarding the legality of the clearing-house constitution will then be determined.

Captain Lees was first notified of the forgery on Saturday night while he was at the bank tendered to Police Commissioner Gunst, W. H. Crocker of the Crocker-Woolworth Bank and his attorney being the informants. Captain Lees left the bank clearing-house constitution, as it would be impossible within a few hours to find out whether or not such a draft had been bought in Woodland, which is quite a distance from this City."

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The captain said last night that he had been busily engaged all day on the case. He was satisfied that it was the work of professionals who did not belong here. "There are certain things," said the captain, "that I cannot give for publication. I got Dean's bankbook in his office and it shows the following deposits in the Nevada Bank: December 4, \$2500; December 13, \$785; December 17, \$22,000. It also shows the following withdrawals by check payable to self: December 7, \$400; December 12, \$700; December 17, \$2200; December 18, \$20,000. This left a balance in the bank to his credit of \$1955."

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