WALCOTT COMES TO BOX GARDNER

Elusive Welter-Weight Is in Prime Condition to Fight.

Fitzsimmons Commences Another Long Distance Talking Match.

Joe Walcott, the elusive little boxer, arrived here yesterday from the East, accompanied by his manager, "Billy" Pierce of Boston. The colored welterweight is in prime condition, having had a number of fights recently.

He is to box George Gardner for the second time in Woodward's Pavilion next Friday, night. Gardner will weigh 164 pounds to Walcott's 143. The colored boxer expects to carry off the long end of the purse. Gardner has been anxious for a return match, as he was in no condition when he met the colored wonder before.

Walcott went at once to Larkspur, where he will train.

LOS ANGELES, April 17.—Champion Jim Jeffries received a telegram to-day from Fitzsimmons saying he had finally concluded the fight could be held only in California and that he would fight when and where Jeffries desired. In speaking of the telegram Jeffries said:

"I don't know what to make of it, but you can say I shall pay no attention to it until Fitzsimmons puts up his forfeit. I have wasted too much talk and time on him now and won't go to any further trouble till he shows his money. It is too late to get ready for a fight for the date originally set by the Los Angeles club. There would be no time to train. I'll be glad to come to terms whenever Fitz shows the disposition."

Manager McCarey of the Century Club, which bid $30,000 for the fight, to take place during the carnival, said: "It's too late for us to bring the fight off. We couldn't get ready, nor could the men do sufficient training."

It was learned from the Century Club officials, however, that a bid will be submitted for a fight on July 4.

"Nothing has been done toward arranging a fight between Corbett and Jeffries," said Joe Eagan, manager for Jeffries, today, when his attention had been called to a dispatch to the effect that Harry Corbett of San Francisco was trying to arrange a match.

"Jeffries has received no word from the ex-champion or any one acting for him in several weeks and it is doubtful if Jeffries would consider meeting Corbett at all. The champion wants a fight with Fitzsimmons, as he believes such a mill would be a good drawing card."

BALL GAMES IN THE EAST

National League Season Opens Without Much Display.

Two Teams Fail to Score Upon Their First Appearance.

NEW YORK, April 17.—The National League baseball season opened to-day without much preliminary flourish. New York shut out Philadelphia and Pittsburg did the same with St. Louis. The scores:

		R.	E.
Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	2
New York	0 0 0 5 0 2 0 0 0	7	2

Batteries—Felix, Yoorhies and Jacksitch; Matthewson and Yeager.

ST. LOUIS, April 17.

		R.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	4
Pittsburg	0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	1	0

Batteries—Yerkes and Ryan; Phillippi and O'Connor.

CINCINNATI, April 17.

		R.	E.
Cincinnati	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	3
Chicago	0 1 0 2 0 0 2 0 1	6	2

Batteries—Swormsted and Bergen; Taylor and Chance.

NEW YORK, April 17.—On Brooklyn grounds:

		R.	E.
Boston	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	0
Brooklyn	0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 x	2	3

Batteries—Willis and Kittredge; Donovan and Farrell.

RAILWAY MAGNATE E. H. HARRIMAN IS GUEST OF HONOR AT BANQUET

President of Southern Pacific Company Arrives in This City and Is Dined at Pacific-Union Club.

SOME OF THOSE PRESENT AT LUNCHEON GIVEN IN HONOR OF E. H. HARRIMAN.

PRESIDENT E. H. HARRIMAN of the Southern Pacific Company arrived in this city yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from Monterey. The great railway magnate's coming was not heralded, and few railway men in the "yellow building" were aware of the arrival until he appeared at the office of the company.

When the news spread that the chief of the big corporation was in the building there was some excitement. During the lunch hour many of the employes watched the corridors and stairways leading to the executive offices in the hope of seeing the man who in a few years had risen from a station as obscure as theirs to one of national prominence and immense power. Shortly after 1 o'clock Harriman and Vice President Julius Kruttschnitt left the building in company and walked to the Pacific-Union Club at Post and Stockton streets, where the magnate was to be the guest of honor at a luncheon tendered him by Whitelaw Reid.

Harriman was warmly welcomed on his arrival by forty gentlemen prominent in business, social and educational life, all of whom had been invited by Reid to assist him in welcoming his distinguished guest. An elegant menu was served, Reid and Harriman occupying the head of the table. The following named gentlemen were present:

Whitelaw Reid, E. H. Harriman, Irving M. Scott, David Starr Jordan, Captain A. H. Payson, J. W. Byrne, F. Wheelan, Edward Hopkins, Dr. Brigham, P. J. Carolan, Timothy Hopkins, Henry T. Scott, S. Brown, Julius Kruttschnitt, Harry Babcock, Professor Bakewell, J. D. Grant, A. Bowie, Mr. and Mrs. Alvord, Benjamin Ide Wheeler, W. H. Mills, J. W. Mackay, General Babcock, Judge Hayne, Professor Bacon, W. F. Herrin, Mr. Brown, William Babcock, J. A. Donohoe, C. W. Howard, W. H. Jordan, Charles Green, Horace Platt, J. A. Parrott, William Crocker, Herman Oelrichs, Judge W. W. Morrow, C. A. Penhody, Y. W. Auchineloss, Dr. Lyle and Stanley Brown.

After the discussion of the collation Whitelaw Reid rose and welcomed Harriman to San Francisco. He said he was glad to be able to do so, and he expressed the belief that all present would recall the event with pleasure. That the coming of Harriman to the Pacific Coast would be of benefit to the people of this section as well as to the company of which Harriman was the head he did not doubt. Reid spoke briefly and closed with the remark that the affair was impromptu and that set speeches were not expected in consequence.

There were calls for Harriman, who was not apparently desirous of indulging in oratory. He arose finally and remarked that he had not prepared himself for the occasion. He was proud, however, to meet so many distinguished gentlemen, he said, and he expressed gratification at the honor done him by their presence. He had little to offer, he said, and he closed with thanks to Reid and the assembled company for the courtesy extended to him. Harriman was warmly applauded, and after the diners separated a reception was held in the club parlors.

The great railway man travels and lives in his palatial private car "Arden." This car was sidetracked at Third and Townsend streets throughout the day and during the absence of the magnate was constantly guarded by two policemen. Harriman was not certain what course he would pursue, and up to 5 o'clock he entertained the notion of returning to Monterey. Harriman's family are awaiting him, but at that hour he consented to remain in the city until to-morrow. Harriman was Kruttschnitt's guest last night at a theater party given in his honor.

The theater selected was the Columbia, where E. S. Willard appeared in "The Professor's Love Story." Harriman was accompanied by Kruttschnitt and W. F. Herrin. They occupied a loge, and during the evening were the recipients of attentions from mutual acquaintances. Harriman was seen by a Call reporter during the performance. The magnate is an affable gentleman, easy of access and a good conversationist.

"My trip to the Pacific Coast," said he, "is merely to acquaint myself with the Southern Pacific system. I am looking over the property of the company with a view toward securing intelligent data as to certain improvements contemplated by the company. We have many improvements under way, and it is our purpose to continue along those lines until we have the best railway system in America. That's all there is to say concerning my visit to San Francisco."

Harriman said further, however, that he was considering the bay shore cut-off. This he deemed to be an extensive improvement, and one that would be of vast benefit to San Francisco. He said special attention would be paid to the betterment of the suburban service.

The meeting of the representatives of the transcontinental lines at Hotel Coronado and the report that the Southern Pacific and Rock Island routes were forming a coalition for the purpose of controlling the passenger and freight traffic to Southern California were mentioned, but Harriman politely declined to discuss them.

After the theater the party adjourned to the Palace, where a supper was enjoyed.

PONIES CANNOT FIND SCHMIDT

Oakland Plays Fast Ball and Outclasses the Local Wonders.

Dunleavy Sends the Sphere Over the Fence for a Home Run.

Mr. J. Cal Ewing's aggregation of home-made baseball talent, with some foreign blood mixed through it, enjoyed a pleasant afternoon yesterday at the Eighth-street lot.

Mr. Ewing acted as host, and Mr. H. Harris was the guest of honor. He brought nine young men with him, while Ewing had a like number to keep the honored ones from getting lonesome. Every one admitted Ewing was a most ungracious host. He treated his guests in a heartless manner, allowing them only two waltzes to the hospitable plate, while he reserved eight for his own pets.

Schmidt, who made his debut in baseball society last season, was offered by Ewing as the chief entertainer for the Oakland social lions, while cute little Elmer Meredith was Harris' choice. Schmidt was as wild as the cowboys of the Wild West in the first half of the function, but the Ponies never had a chance to hit any of his curves. He steadied down in the second half, and ended the game in a blaze of glory.

Meredith, though at times hit hard, delivered the goods like a gentleman, and took his first defeat with as much grace as the girl graduate takes her diploma.

The Oakland belles began to act mean at the outset. Meredith threw a pretty little curve to Walters, who was unkind enough to soak it over second base. Mohler was not so bad; he only sacrificed the unjust one to second. Julia Streib sent a mean one to Holly, who did not want to act selfishly, so he threw over Nordyke's head, allowing Walters to make his first run on the local diamond and letting Streib reach second. Brick Devereaux tapped the sphere gently toward Meredith, who forgot to put glue on his hands, so Streib made the second tally.

The suburban tossers continued to make inroads upon the home base. They had different members of the team chasing around in the third, fourth, fifth, seventh and eighth innings. In the fourth Dunleavy put one over the center field fence after having two strikes called on him. Big McCreedie had a three-cushion swipe concealed under his arm, and sprung it while the fifth was in progress.

The eighth was kind to the Ponies. McHale was given a chance on Franck's error, and Bone bunted safely. Eddie Holly's eye was working well, for he put a pretty single into short right field, giving McHale and Bone a chance to scamper home to Uncle. In all the other instances Schmidt was the big boss. The Ponies had to accept whatever he chose to hand them, and his collection savored as much of mystery as one of Nick Carter's weird tales.

Dunleavy, aside from hitting like a steam hammer, ran bases like a jackrabbit, stealing second and third in a way which made Ewing cast side glances at Harris and say "I guess he's bad." Little Mohler worked his left wing at second just as he used to do. Streib's work at first was a revelation. Old Brick Devereaux had some gingery packages to hand out, while Little Hodson did his best on the coaching line, looking like a bantam rooster anxious for a fight. Nordyke injured his leg in the first. He continued to play until the fourth, when he retired in favor of Delmas, Kane going to right field. Score:

SAN FRANCISCO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
McHale, l. f.	4	1	0	0	0	1	0
Bone, 2b.	3	1	1	0	2	1	0
Lawler, c. f.	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
Nordyke, 1b.	1	0	0	0	5	1	0
Holly, s. s.	3	0	1	0	3	2	1
Shugart, 3b.	3	0	0	0	4	0	0
Leahy, c.	3	0	0	0	3	1	1
Delmas, 1b & r. f.	4	0	1	0	4	0	0
Meredith, p.	2	0	0	0	0	5	1
Kane, r. f.	2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	27	2	3	0	24	11	3

OAKLAND.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Walters, c. f.	5	2	3	0	2	0	0
Mohler, 2b.	4	1	2	0	2	5	0
Streib, 1b.	4	3	2	2	15	0	0
McCreedie, r. f.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0
Devereaux, 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	3	0
Dunleavy, l. f.	3	2	2	2	0	0	0
Francks, s. s.	4	0	1	0	3	6	1
Gorton, c.	4	0	0	0	4	2	0
Schmidt, p.	3	0	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	35	8	11	4	27	18	1

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

San Francisco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—2
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	—3
Oakland	2	0	1	1	2	0	1	1	x—8
Base hits	1	0	0	2	4	0	2	2	x—11

SUMMARY.

Home run—Dunleavy. Three-base hit—McCreedie. Two-base hit—Mohler. Sacrifice hits—Mohler, Shugart, McHale, Lawler. First base on errors—San Francisco 1, Oakland 3. First base on called balls—Off Schmidt 4, off Meredith 2. Left on bases—San Francisco 7, Oakland 6. Struck out—By Meredith 3, by Schmidt 4. Hit by pitcher—Holly, Bone, Nordyke. Double plays—Leahy to Bone; Mohler to Francks to Streib. Passed ball—Leahy. Time of game—1:35. Umpire—O'Connell. Official scorer—Harry Cashman.

LOS ANGELES WINS EASILY.

Sacramento Players Fail to Solve Pitcher Jones' Curves.

LOS ANGELES, April 17.—Los Angeles won from Sacramento to-day in far easier style than the score would indicate. Jones held the visitors down for a clean slate until the seventh inning, when they fell on him for three hits. These, in connection with Raymer's errors, netted them two runs. Two more were tallied in the eight on two base hits, a base on balls and an error. The locals found Doyle for twelve hits. The fielding of Sacramento was not of a sensational order, nor were they as fast on bases as the home players. Score:

LOS ANGELES.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Toman, s. s.	4	0	1	0	2	1	0
Hannivan, lf.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
Atherton, rf.	4	2	3	1	3	0	0
Householder, cf.	4	1	3	0	5	0	0
Raymer, 2b.	4	1	2	1	3	5	2
Reilly, 3b.	2	0	2	1	1	3	0
Decker, 1b.	4	0	0	0	10	1	0
Roach, c.	4	0	1	0	3	0	0
Jones, p.	4	0	0	0	0	5	1
Totals	31	5	12	3	27	15	3

SACRAMENTO.

	AB.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
Sheehan, 3b.	3	1	1	0	2	4	0
Unglaub, s. s.	4	1	1	0	3	6	1
Doyle, p.	4	1	0	0	0	4	0
Rebsamen, cf.	4	0	1	0	0	1	0
Birmingham, 1b.	3	0	0	0	15	0	0
Frary, 2b.	3	0	1	0	1	1	0
McCarthy, lf.	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Graham, c.	2	0	0	0	2	2	2
Wagner, rf.	4	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	4	5	0	24	18	3

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.

Los Angeles	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	x—5
Base hits	2	2	2	1	4	0	1	0	x—12
Sacramento	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0—4
Base hits	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	—5

SUMMARY.

Runs responsible for—Jones 2, Doyle 4. Two-base hits—Raymer, Toman, Atherton, Householder, Rebsamen. Sacrifice hits—Hannivan, Reilly. First base on errors—Los Angeles 1, Sacramento 3. First base on called balls—Off Jones 4, off Doyle 1. Left on bases—Los Angeles 7, Sacramento 5. Struck out—By Jones 3, by Doyle 1. Hit by pitcher—Hannivan. Double play—Raymer to Decker. Wild pitch—Jones. Time of game—1:45. Umpire—McDonald.

COLLEGE MEN IN COMPETITION

Representative Entry for the Annual Field Day.

Berkeley and Stanford Will Make a Bid for Honors.

All entries are in for the University of California and Stanford University annual track meet, which will be held to-morrow at 2 p. m. at Palo Alto. California has more men in the events than its rival. The official entries follow:

Mile run: California—Redewill, Robertson, Graves, Woods, Service, Graydon, Weymouth. Stanford—Gay, Holman, Davis, Nangle, Greenbaum, McLaughlin.

100-yard dash: California—Cadogan, Brown, Abadie, Husey. Stanford—Hamilton, Hawley, J. C. McCaughern, T. McCaughern.

120-yard hurdles: California—Powell, Hamlin, Cheek, Hannigan. Stanford—Kuhn, Dole, Taylor, Naramore.

440-yard dash: California—Ligda, Howard, Adler, Cadogan, Powell, Brainard, Service, Hartley, Johnston, Annear, Kuster. Stanford—Dunn, Smith, Crossman, Dole, Watson, Davis, Kehrlein, Fowler.

Two-mile run: California—Tibbetts, Westdahl, Minor, Stalder, Weymouth, Redewill. Stanford—Chadbourne, Burton, McLaughlin, Guhdrum, Davis.

220-yard hurdles: California—Powell, Hannigan, Cheek. Stanford—Naramore, Taylor, Kuhn.

220-yard dash: California—Cadogan, Abadie, Annea, Brown, Townsend. Stanford—T. McCaughern, Hawley, Luce, J. C. McCaughern, Hamilton, Moran.

880-yard run: California—Service, Edwards, Woods, Graves, Graydon, Robertson, Schilling, Smilie. Stanford—Tarpey, Dunn, Swinnerton, Chadbourne, Thompson, Kehrlein, Davis.

Mile relay (four men to compose each team): California—Service, Powell, Cheek, Brown, Brainard, Ligda, Howard, Hartley, Smilie, Johnston, Redewill, Schilling, Cadogan, Annear. Stanford — Dunn, Smith, Crossman, Dole, Watson, Davis, Kehrlein, Fowler, Holman.

16-pound hammer throw: California—Plaw, Hartline, Albertson. Stanford—Van Sickle, Crawford, Hyde.

Shot put: California—Plaw, Overall, Fautz, Coombs, Kelsey, Braly. Stanford—Hyde, Crawford, Van Sickle, Parker.

High jump: California—Cooley, Powell, Cheek, Kruschke. Stanford—Henley, Bell, Palmer.

Broad jump: California—Metcalf, Hussey, Topham, Minor, Cheek. Stanford—Henly, Bell, Naramore, Lyons.

Pole vault: California—Wilcox, Geary, Symmes. Stanford—Bell, Henly, Whittaker, Beach.

The field day officials are as follows:

Referee, John Elliott; inspectors—William Knowles, B. Walsh, A. Smith; timers—Frank Carey, Colonel G. C. Edwards, D. Smith, Fred Koch, D. E. Brown; starter, Phil Wand; judges at the finish—F. Angell, H. Torrey, George Karlein; clerk of the course—C. A. Cantwell; assistant, J. M. Ehleman; field judges—H. B. Reynolds, R. I. Woolsey, E. J. Brown; measurers—J. Coffin, L. A. Womble, B. Miller, C. R. Lewers.

The California athletes will leave Berkeley at 10 a. m. The University band and the rooters will leave at 10:30 o'clock and take the 12 o'clock special from San Francisco.

Dave Sullivan Fights a Draw.

WATERBURY, Conn., April 17.—Dave Sullivan of New York and Austin Rice of New London fought twenty rounds to a draw here to-night before 2000 spectators. Sullivan took the most punishment. At times it looked like Rice's fight. Sullivan said after the fight: "This man can take more punishment and return it at the same time than Terry McGovern."

RESULTS OF THURSDAY'S EVENTS AT OAKLAND TRACK

THE CALL'S RACING FORM CHART

OAKLAND RACETRACK—Thursday, April 17.—Weather fine. Track fast.

3611. FIRST RACE—Seven furlongs; selling; three-year-olds; to first, $325.

Index	Horse and Weight.	St.	¼.	½.	Str.	Fin.	Owner and Jockey.	Betting. Op.	Betting. Cl.
3588	Halmetta 107	3	1 2½	1 2½	1 1	1 n	W. H. Ketcheman..Daly	2	3
3569	Sir Claus 111	7	6 2	7 ½	2 h	2 ¾	Lewis & Co...McCarthy	8	12
3581	Dawson 109	4	3 n	2 1	3 ½	3 2	W. B. Sink Jr..Winslette	10	20
3584	Maraschino 119	10	11	6 2	5 1	4 ½	J. C. Humphrey.....See	3	5
3599	Matin Bell 107	11	7 ½	3 h	4 h	5 ½	Chinn & Forsythe.Donly	6	4
3520	Vasallo 119	2	8 ½	5 1	6 1	6 2	Piedmont Stable.Bozemn	4	8
3593	Knockings 117	1	2 ½	4 h	8 2	7 1	Earl & Co.....Prior	10	20
3476	Baldo 109	6	4 1	9 1	9 1	8 ½	B. Schreiber ....Troxler	8	5
3569	Claudator 109	9	10	8 ½	10 1	9 3	Elmwood Farm..Vickery	10	20
3576	Pirate Maid 117	8	5 n	10 4	7 ½	10 2	C. W. Chappell.Waterbry	20	30
3599	Geo. Whitney ...112	12	12	12	11	11	F. Phillips....J. Sheehan	30	50
3546	Sol 109	5	9 1	11	12	12	P. C. Donaleche....Hoar	6	9

Time—¼, :24¼; ½, :50; ¾, 1:16; ⅞, 1:29. Good start. Won first three driving. Winner, W. H. Ketcheman's ch. f. by Halma-El Dorado. Daly outfinished McCarthy on Sir Claus. See on Maraschino moved up by degrees. He was three degrees late. Vasallo apparently could not carry his load. Dawson had speed.

3612. SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up; to first, $325.

Index	Horse, Age, Weight.	St.	¼.	¾.	Str.	Fin.	Owner and Jockey.	Betting. Op.	Betting. Cl.
3579	Malaspina, 3 109	4	7 ½	6 1	3 ½	1 ns	Mallowmot Farm..Donly	8-5	11-10
3430	Quiz II, 4....112	5	1 2	1 3	1 1	1 2	J. M. Crane.....Troxler	7-2	6
3572	Ben Magin, 4....116	7	3 ¾	3 1	2 n	3 n	E. A. Chappell.Waterbry	40	100
....	Fausturo, 6 119	1	2 n	2 n	4 ½	4 1	D. M. Hanlon....Conley	3	5
3581	Katie Walcott, 5..114	3	6 1	4 h	6 h	5 2	E. Kaufman...Winslette	8	8
3569	Headstrong, 3 ..103	11	12	11	7 1	6 n	A. B. Spreckels..L. Daly	40	60
3598	Tiburon, a 116	10	4 ½	5 ½	5 1	7 1	Egbert & Co...Gutierez	8	20
3542	Bezu Monde, a....119	8	8 h	9 ½	9 2	8 n	W. McGuire....A. Kelly	10	10
3564	B. F. Mason, 5..116	9	9 3	7 ½	8 ½	9 2	F. G. Lynch....Spargur	50	100
3581	Evea G, 3 103	12	11	10	10 1	10 1	J. Coffey.....Butler	10	20
3550	Rose of Hilo, 4..114	6	10	8 h	11	11	George Webb....Frawley	8	20
3609	Mike Strauss, 6..116	2	5 ½	*	...	...	W. E. Cotton....Hoar	8	9

Time—¼, :25¼; ½, :50; ¾, 1:15½. Good start. Won first three driving. Winner, Mallowmot Stock Farm's br. f. by Brutas-Miowera. If Troxler on Quiz had not been so busy looking backward, his mount would have won. Malaspina came from far back. Fausturo will win soon if his underpinning stands the racket. Too much weight on Tiburon. *Bled.

3613. THIRD RACE—Four furlongs; two-year-olds; to first, $325.

Index	Horse and Weight.	St.	½.	¾.	Str.	Fin.	Owner and Jockey.	Betting. Op.	Betting. Cl.
(3558)	Alsono 108	4	...	1 1	1 1	1 4	Burns & Watrhs.Troxler	2-5	9-20
3594	Lizzie Rice 108	2	...	2 3	2 5	2 8	W. L. Stanfield....Hoar	5	4
3410	Gaviota 108	8	...	6 n	5 h	3 n	A. B. Spreckels..L. Daly	8	10
3600	J. H. Bennett....106	1	...	4 ½	3 1	4 ¾	L. A. Blasingame.Vickry	15	25
3439	Phyz 106	3	...	7 1	6 1	5 ½	John Kane .....Prior	100	200
....	Diamente 107	6	...	3 1	4 h	6 2	Baldwin & Co..Bozeman	10	25
....	Nervator 106	7	...	8 10	8 10	7 10	Elmwood Farm....Butler	60	100
....	Levant 106	5	...	5 1	7 6	8 20	F. W. Gnessheim....See	40	100
....	Walter H 106	9	...	9	9	9	William Abbott.Webster	100	200

Time—¼, :24; ½, :47¾. Poor start. Won easily. Second and third driving. Winner, Burns & Waterhouse's ch. g. by Altamax-Soncmis. Alsono got a running shoot at the barrier. Lizzie Rice showed more speed than usual. Gaviota almost left. Bennett fooled the "show players" this time. Phyz has speed. Scratched—Arabo 111, Horatius 106.

3614. FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up; to first, $325.

Index	Horse, Age, Weight.	St.	½.	¾.	Str.	Fin.	Owner and Jockey.	Betting. Op.	Betting. Cl.
3598	Prestano, 3....102	3	5 1	1 n	1 n	1 h	J. Conway.....Hoar	5-2	16-5
(3598)	L. of Langdon, 3..106	7	1 n	2 h	2 1	2 1½	C. Lind.....Troxler	7-10	9-10
(3583)	The Hoodoo, 4...111	5	6 2	6 2	3 h	3 1	T. H. Ryan.....Vickery	10	8
3426	Foul Play, 5....114	1	2 ¾	4 n	4 ½	4 n	Bowley & Co.....Prior	10	12
3601	Maresa, 4....117	4	3 h	3 ½	5 h	5 ½	J. H. Dolan.....See	7	12
3598	Ben Ledi, 6....114	2	4 ½	5 h	6 1	6 4	G. W. Scott....Frawley	20	25
3503	Flamero, 6....116	6	8	8	7 1	7 4	D. Cameron....Conley	20	30
3544	Parsifal, 4....116	8	7 1	7 1	8	8	J. D. Fitzgerald..Bozemn	20	40

Time—¼, :24½; ½, :49½; ¾, 1:15. Fair start. Won first three driving. Winner, J. Conway's ch. g. by Prestanpans-Katie Fletcher. Prestano ridden the shortest route. The Hoodoo moved up well near the close. Foul Play quit. So did Maresa. Scratched—Fine Shot 116, Merops 116, Discovery 105, Nellie Forest 111.

3615. FIFTH RACE—1⅛ miles; Fleur de Lis Handicap; 3-year-olds and up; to first, $400.

Index	Horse, Age, Weight.	St.	¼.	½.	Str.	Fin.	Owner and Jockey.	Betting. Op.	Betting. Cl.
(3559)	Eonic, 4....100	1	1 ¾	1 1½	1 1½	1 2½	Caesar Young..Donnelly	1	11-10
3597	Rio Shannon, 5..94	3	3 2½	3 ¾	3 ½	2 ½	J. Coffey.....J. Sheehan	7	12
3554	Frangible, 5....99	2	2 2½	2 ¾	2 ¾	3 ¾	F. D. Boas.....Knapp	8	11-2
(3561)	Position, 6....112	4	4 1½	4 ¾	4 2	4 4	D. S. Fountain..Troxler	2	8-5
3595	La Borgia, 5....86	5	5	5	5	5	Elmwood Farm....Butler	40	200

Time—¼, :24½; ½, :49¼; ¾, 1:15¼; mile, 1:41¼; 1⅛m, 1:53¾. Good start. Won easily. Second and third driving. Winner, Caesar Young's ch. m. by Eon-Mermaid. Winner best. Rio Shannon, well ridden, ran an improved race. Position quit in the stretch.

3616. SIXTH RACE—One mile; selling; three-year-olds and up; to first, $325.

Index	Horse, Age, Weight.	St.	¼.	½.	Str.	Fin.	Owner and Jockey.	Betting. Op.	Betting. Cl.
3589	Limelight, 6....110	3	2 1½	2 1½	1 ½	1 1½	Magrane & Co..Frawley	5	7-2
3589	Tizona, 5....107	8	8 4	8 2	4 h	2 1	Partington Bros..Vickery	30	40
3562	Diomed, 5....113	4	4 ½	3 h	2 ½	3 ¾	Brown & Co....Troxler	8-5	11-5
3538	Horton, 6....113	5	9 1	9	6 2	4 ½	J. McGovern....L. Daly	8-5	2
(3587)	Frank Woods, 6..107	9	7 2	6 ½	8 h	5 8	Garden City Stable..See	5	8
3597	Gawaine, 4....106	1	1 2	1 1	7 1	6 ½	W. E. Cotton....Hoar	6	10
3586	Windward, 6....110	2	3 h	4 n	5 h	7 4	Hennessy & Co....Feary	15	25
3515	Ned Dennis, 5....107	6	5 ¾	7 ¾	8 1	8 ½	Piedmont Stable.Bozemn	40	100
3596	First Shot, 5....112	7	6 ½	5 n	9	9	P. Moore & Co....Conley	15	20

Time—¼, :25¼; ½, :50; ¾, 1:15½; mile, 1:41¾. Good start. Won first three driving. Winner, W. P. Magrane & Co.'s b. g. by Quicklime-Soubrette II. Limelight heavily played. Tizona improved perceptibly. Diomed has run faster. If Daly on Horton had waited a while longer the grand stand would have been vacated. First Shot did not hit the target. Scratched—Quadra 89, Billy Moore 107, Flourish 103.

DID Roscoe Troxler "pull" Lass of Langdon, favorite for the fourth race, yesterday at Oakland?

The judges apparently thought otherwise, but their views were evidently not shared by "Danny" Lynch and "Frisco" Lind, owner and trainer, respectively, of the fast filly. At least, "Danny" is the reputed owner of the Lass.

The race in question was a six-furlong sprint, with a field of eight starting, and, notwithstanding the steady play, the odds against Lass of Langdon went from 7 to 10 to 9 to 10. Troxler got the filly away from the post well, but by a sweeping turn into the stretch relinquished the leading position to Prestano. This proved a fatal error, for in a driving finish down at the wire his mount lost the decision by a head. Hoar riding an excellently judged finish on Prestano.

Meeting Troxler's brother in the paddock after the race, "Danny" Lynch delivered himself of a few breezy remarks, during which he inferentially mentioned he thought Troxler the younger had ridden with the English on the wrong side of the ball. For such a serious accusation Troxler the elder took matters coolly. Up to a late hour last night it did not look as if Lynch would be called upon by the officials to make any apology to the rider.

Favorites were in fine fettle, and, while they did not sweep the deck, four purses fell to the short-priced ones in the betting. A second and a third choice earned winning brackets in the other two events. The weather was fine and the attendance large.

Halmetta, with Larry Daly in the saddle, went to the post a lukewarm choice for the opening seven-furlong run, and in a long drive only beat Sir Claus a head. The latter horse was 15 to 1 in the ring, and it looked as if McCarty's carlessness at the close cost the outsider the race. Dawson, another outsider, finished third.

By just a scant nose did Malaspina defeat Quiz II for the six-furlong selling affair. The former filly ruled a strong favorite, and, although Donnelly got her away from the post poorly, collared Quiz just in the nick of time. Waterbury landed the show with Ben Magen, a 100 to 1 shot.

Alsono, the fast youngster trained by Ben Timmons of the Burns & Waterhouse stable, gave a satisfactory speed recital in the two-year-old scramble. At odds of 9 to 20 the son of Altamax outbroke and outran his field, breezing the half-mile in 47¾ seconds, and beating Lizzie Rice four open lengths. Nearly left at the post, Gaviota ran a fair third.

Some hope was entertained that Position would be capable of giving Eonic an argument in the mile and an eighth handicap, but the Racine gelding made a dismal failure of the thing. Eonic picked up 100 pounds and, an 11 to 10 favorite, won from start to finish, covering the distance in 1:53¾. She was well ridden by young Donnelly. "Monk" Sheehan handled Rio Shannon to excellent advantage, getting the place by half a length from Frangible.

The final mile selling number went to Limelight, the strongly backed third choice. Tizona, a 60 to 1 shot, finished second, a length in advance of Diomed, the second choice. Horton, the favorite, was fourth.

Track Notes.

Donnelly piloted two winners.

Larry Daly also piloted one first choice, after which he rested on his laurels.

The books kept a good portion of the floating money in the ring.

After winning the last event Limelight changed owners. Billy Magrane had the gelding in to be sold for $300, and when Billy Cahill raised the price to $500 ceased bidding.

"Texas" Winslette, who rode Katie Walcott in the second race, was the victim of an unfortunate accident. While engaged in pulling up the mare after the finish the boy's saddle turned, letting him drop to the ground. An