

AMONG THE HORSES.

Presentations Made by Minnesota of Purse Hung Up in Three Trotting Meetings.

In the Three Meetings \$23,000 Offered to be Competed for by the Racers.

Merrim's Belle F and Alderman Long's Spotted in the \$10,000 Race.

Important Change in regard to Registering Horses—Death of Gen. Monroe.

Minnesota Trotting.

The program for the trotting in the Minnesota fall racing circuit have been completed in connection with the three leading agricultural associations of the state, viz: The State Agricultural Association at Hamline, the Washington County Agricultural Society at Stillwater and the Southern Minnesota Fair Association at Rochester.

The purses and premiums of these three organizations amount to \$23,000. In this connection it may be remarked that these three organizations held their meeting at a fortunate time. Their dates follow the great trotting meeting that has just been concluded at Chicago and the Wisconsin Breeders Association to be held at Milwaukee, Aug. 24, 25, 26 and 27.

This practically extends our circuit so as to include the two great meetings just mentioned and make both of them a part of one circuit. This gives all the horsemen who attended the Chicago and Milwaukee meetings very profitable engagements till well into the fall, and insures the Minnesota circuit a full list of entries.

The entries for the state fair races closed on the 15th of August. Those for Stillwater and Rochester will close Aug. 20, at 11 p. m. The program for these contests are as follows: State Fair, Aug. 30 to Sept. 4 inclusive: Monday, Aug. 30—Breeders' stake for yearlings, purse \$50, with entry money added; breeders' stake for two-year-olds, purse \$100, with entry money added; breeders' stake for three-year-olds, purse \$100, with entry money added; breeders' stake for four-year-olds, purse \$150, with entry money added.

Tuesday, Aug. 31—Breeders' stake for five-year-olds, purse \$100, with entry money added; breeders' stake for stallions, purse \$50, with entry money added; breeders' stake for trotting, purse \$500; 2:30 class, pacing, purse \$100.

Wednesday, Sept. 1—3:00 class, trotting, purse \$400; 2:25 class, trotting, purse \$200; running race, two mile dash, purse \$100; special to be announced hereafter, \$2,000.

Thursday, Sept. 2—Breeders' stake for yearlings, purse \$50, with entry money added; breeders' stake for two-year-olds, purse \$100, with entry money added; breeders' stake for three-year-olds, purse \$100, with entry money added; breeders' stake for four-year-olds, purse \$150, with entry money added.

Friday, Sept. 3—2:37 class, trotting, purse \$100; 2:25 class, pacing, purse \$500; running race, Minnesota Derby, one mile and a half dash, purse \$200; 2:30 class, trotting, purse \$100.

Saturday, Sept. 4—Breeders' stake for aed mare and geldings, purse \$15, with entry money added; breeders' stake for pacers, purse \$50, with entry money added; gentlemen's race, with no better record than 2:25, and to be driven by owner.

Washington county fair at Stillwater, Sept. 7 to 11, inclusive: First Day—2:30 trot, \$300; running race, two in three, one mile, \$150. Second Day—2:45 pace, \$250; 2:40 trot, \$250.

Third Day—2:25 trot, \$300; 2:25 pace, \$300. Fourth Day—Three-minute class, trotting, \$250; free-for-all pace and trot, \$500; running, two miles, two in three, \$200.

Southern Minnesota fair association, at Rochester, Sept. 11—3:00 class, trotting, \$300; trotters and pacers, 5 years old or under, which have been in training in Olmsted county, Minnesota, during season of 1886, \$500.

Wednesday, Sept. 15—2:30 class, trotting, \$350; 2:25 class, pacing, \$350; running, half mile, best two in three, \$125.

Thursday, Sept. 16—2:40 class, trotting, \$300; free-for-all pacers with records of 2:30 or better, citizens, \$800; double team trotting, \$150.

Friday, Sept. 17—2:30 class, pacing, \$350; 2:25 class, trotting, \$350; running, one mile, best two in three, \$250.

LOCAL MENTION. Thresher Belts. And all kinds of rubber goods at New York prices. Good year Rubber Company, James Watson agent, 131 East Third street. Only store in St. Paul connected with the Goodyear Rubber company.

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Receipts of this office, and hence an additional reason for advancing the price of registration. This exclusion has been prompted wholly by our own convictions of what was right in the matter and whatever blame, if any, must attach accordingly.

There will be no change in the terms for inserting pedigrees in the Monthly. After they are registered, animals belonging to regular subscribers will be inserted in the Monthly for \$1 each, and \$2 each for those not belonging to subscribers. This is a very cheap method of advertising, and it serves at the same time as an official certificate of registration.

Hereafter in all unusually voluminous and difficult cases, requiring much time to investigate and determine, we must be paid a reasonable compensation for the time so expended, and that without regard to whether the pedigree is accepted or rejected.

Death of Gen. Monroe. Old Gen. Monroe is dead! In his palmy days he was a fine race horse and played an important part on the American turf. He was not great, but he was honest, and could be depended upon to do his best.

"He who does the best he can, does well, and nobly—angels could do no more." In 1884, when he was 6 years old, he was in his prime, winning that year the great Metropolitan stakes and the Westerner handicap at Jerome Park, the first suburban handicap (carrying the top weight of 124 pounds) and the Coney Island cup at Sheepshead Bay, Washington Park cup at Chicago, and the Saratoga cup, Morrissey stakes and grand prize at Saratoga. On Saturday last he fell in a race at Brighton Beach and was so badly hurt that he died from his injuries on Sunday. A trainer who was with him at the last says that it was a most affecting sight. His exercise lad, between whom and the general there existed a warm friendship, and who had been constantly with him, laid the old hero's head in his lap, speaking consolingly to him. Suddenly the general lifted his nose into the boy's face, gazed mournfully at him a second or two, as much as to say, "Good-bye, old fellow!" then dropped back, gave a convulsive kick and was dead. Bending over him was a little boy with a big heart, with tears silently coursing down his cheeks and falling upon the inanimate form of the once proud racer.

W. C. France has purchased the bay gelding J. Q. by Kentucky Prince, Jr., from Joseph Quisenberry, Paris, Ky., for \$7,000 cash.

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Confirmation of Assessment for Grading Ashland Avenue (Formerly Hennepin Avenue.)

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, CITY OF ST. PAUL, MINN., AUG. 19, 1886.

The assessment of benefits, costs and expenses arising from the grading of Ashland Avenue (formerly Hennepin Avenue), from Victoria street to Lexington Avenue, in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, having been completed by the Board of Public Works and for said city, said Board will meet at their office in said city, at 1:30 p. m. on the 31st day of August, A. D. 1886, to hear objections (if any) to said assessment, at which time and place, unless sufficient cause is shown to the contrary, said assessment will be confirmed by said Board.

The following is a list of the supposed owners' names, a description of the property benefited and the amounts assessed against the same, to-wit:

Table with columns: Supposed owner and description, Lot, Block, Benefits. Lists property owners along Ashland Avenue.

Summit Park Addition to St. Paul.

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West St. Paul Proper.

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Church of Good Shepherd.

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Confirmation of Assessment for Grading Sixth Street.

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The assessment of benefits, costs and expenses arising from the grading of Sixth Street, from Maria Avenue to Arcade street, in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, having been completed by the Board of Public Works and for said city, said Board will meet at their office in said city, at 1:30 p. m. on the 31st day of August, A. D. 1886, to hear objections (if any) to said assessment, at which time and place, unless sufficient cause is shown to the contrary, said assessment will be confirmed by said Board.

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Lyman Dayton's Addition to St. Paul.

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Greatest Event in the History of the Northwest!

Invited guests are requested to meet at the West Hotel at 1:30 p. m. The procession, in the following order, will leave the hotel promptly at 2 o'clock: CAPT. D. M. GILMORE, Marshal of the Day.

FIRST DIVISION. Forming on Sixth Street North, right resting on Hennepin. CAPT. W. M. BRACKETT, Marshal. Mounted Police. Mexican Band, 50 Pieces.

President, Vice-President of Directors of the Exposition. Speaker of the Day, Hon. C. K. Davis, and Gov. L. F. Hubbard. The Mayor and City Council of the City of Minneapolis.

SECOND DIVISION. Forming on Seventh Street North, right resting on Hennepin. CAPT. W. J. DEAN, Marshal. Fort Snelling Band. Brig.-Gen. Ruger and Staff. Col. Van Horn and Staff. U. S. Battery from Fort Snelling. St. Paul City Government and City Officers. Governors of States and Territories.

THIRD DIVISION. Forming on Eighth Street North, right resting on Hennepin. CAPT. M. HOY, Marshal. Dan's Band, 60 Pieces. Judges of the District Court of Hennepin and Ramsey Counties. Ex-Mayors of Minneapolis. Senators and Representatives in Congress of the State of Minnesota. Stockholders, Members of the Press and Invited Guests.

Line of March, from Hennepin to Nicollet on Fifth, thence on Nicollet and Central Avenues to the Exposition Building.

It is requested that all citizens of Minneapolis who have a proper pride in their beautiful city and a true delight in their wonderful Exposition, an undertaking which redounds to the honor and glory of the Metropolis of the Golden Northwest, and is a lasting monument to their liberality and enterprise, will manifest it by closing their places of business on MONDAY, AUGUST 23, AT NOON, and proceed to the building to participate in the opening exercises.

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CITY NOTICE. Assessment for Opening Wells Street.

OFFICE OF THE CITY TREASURER, ST. PAUL, MINN., AUG. 17, 1886. All persons interested in the assessments for the opening of Wells Street, from Forest street to Grand Avenue, in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, have completed and entered of record by the Board of Public Works in and for said city, and that said assessment was confirmed by said Board on the 16th day of August, A. D. 1886. WILLIAM BARRETT, President.

CITY NOTICE. Change of grade on Fillmore Avenue, between Starkey and Robertson streets; Opening an alley through Block 17, St. Paul Proper, from Fourth street to Fifth street, WILL TAKE NOTICE

That on the 24 day of August, 1886, I did receive different warrants from the City Comptroller of the City of St. Paul for the collection of the above-named assessments. The nature of these warrants is, that if you fail to pay the assessment within THIRTY DAYS after the first publication of this notice, I shall report you and your real estate so assessed as delinquent, and apply to the District Court of the County of Ramsey, Minnesota, for judgment against your lands, lots, blocks or parcels thereof so assessed, including interest, costs and expenses, and for an order of the Court to sell the same for the payment thereof. GEORGE REIS, City Treasurer. 229-230

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