Sports

OAKLAND FOOTBALL MEN OUTPLAY INDEPENDENTS

Hornets Annex Association Game by a Score of 3 to 0

OAKLAND, March 31.—Outpointed in every feature of the game, the Independents had to admit the superiority of the Oakland Hornets at today's association football game at Freeman's Park. The score was 3 to 0.

Since the institution of the cup competition the Independents have had a monopoly of the honors, winning the cup regularly each year, and the wearers of the black and white were tipped as a cinch for today's game. The Hornets, however, were determined to have a say as to the ultimate destination of the trophy, and the best available talent at the call of the selection committee was sent on the field. It was generally believed that McKenzie would be unable to play, because of injuries received in the Albion game, but at the last minute he decided that he was fit to resume his position.

The Independents introduced Lydon at center forward, which necessitated the elimination of Balmain. That the change was a wise one the result shows.

McKenzie started the play which resulted in the first goal of the contest. Throwing the ball from the sideline almost to midfield, he placed it directly at the feet of Elliot and the Hornet captain made a great effort to pierce the defense. Godfrey, who had assumed the goal position for the day, made a clever save and sent the sphere back into the field. Little Podmore was lying in waiting, however, and with a nicely judged shot put his team in the lead.

Thereafter the Indies had a look in, and Lydon made a magnificent attempt to put his team on level terms with a shot from twenty yards range. McRitchie was on the alert and succeeded in turning the ball over the bar.

Shortly afterward the Independent goal was again in danger because of Carter being charged from behind. The kick went past and the San Franciscans assumed the aggressive. McKenzie was having a rough time and when he was on the verge of scoring he received a nasty kick from the goalkeeper. This did not deter him and after a beautiful single handed effort he outwitted the defence and added goal number two to the Hornets' list.

In the second half Cunningham caused McRitchie some anxiety with a shot which the custodian was forced to tip over the crossbar to avert danger. Tommy Fay took the resultant corner kick and Highett spoiled the advance by shooting past. Just to make sure of an already sure thing, Carter, with the best shot of the game, put on number three. The make-up of the teams was as follows:

Hornets—McRitchie, Waeber, Gore, McKenzie Jr., Meachim, McLachlan, Podmore, Elliot, McKenzie Jr., Carter and Scott.

Independents—Godfrey, Souter, Godfrey, Anderson, Mizen, Highett, E. Fay, Jones, Lydon, Cunningham and T. Fay.

Referee—A. W. Wilding.

Linesmen—Burns and Bryson.

FEUDNER IS HIGH MAN IN EMPIRE CLUB SHOOT

M. O. Feudner, with 23 breaks out of 25 targets at which he shot in the club championship race, was high man in the opening shoot of the Empire Gun Club yesterday on the trapshooting grounds at Alameda Point. Fred Feudner was second in this event with 22. Hillis, the clever representative of a powder company, finished in third place with 21 breaks to his credit.

The conditions were perfect for blue rock shooting. There was no wind and the high fog made a perfect light, as there was no glimmer along the gun barrel when it was pointed in the direction where the sun should have been. The average scores were high, considering that this was the first shoot of the season and that the members were out of practice.

The special handicap race at twenty birds, in which the competitors held their guns below their elbows, proved an interesting match, but a hard one for good scores. The conditions are different from ordinary trapshooting. Hillis proved best at this style of shooting, breaking 17 out of a possible 20.

The official scores of the day, as compiled by Secretary J. B. Hauer, follow:

Club championship race—M. O. Feudner 23, F. Feudner, 22, Hillis 21, H. Klevesahl 20, C. H. Collier 19, J. E. Haugh 19, F. Krink 19, L. H. Allen 19, Bert Patrick 18, William Janssen 18, F. L. Houpt 17, J. B. Lauer 15, W. O. Cullen 15, Dr. E. K. Hopkins 15, J. Peltier 13.

Money match, first class—M. O. Feudner 21, F. Feudner 19, H. Klevesahl 17.

Second class—Bert Patrick 20, J. E. Haugh 20, F. Knick 18, L. H. Allen 17, C. H. Collier 17, F. L. Houpt 16, W. Janssen 16.

Third class—W. O. Cullen 14, J. B. Hauer 13.

Fourth class—J. Peltier 15.

Sweeney record medal—F. L. Houpt, 1, 1, 2, 0; J. B. Hauer, 1, 3, 2, 0; Hillis, 8, 0, 5, 11; Haskins, 0; C. H. Collier, 0, 4, 14, 1; H. Klevesahl, 0, 0, 6, 1; O. Feudner, 5, 18, 12, 15; F. Feudner, 4, 4, 0; William Janssen, 0, 0, 3; Bert Patrick, 1, 2; F. Knick, 0, 4, 1; L. H. Allen, 0.

Special handicap race—Hillis, 18 yards, broke 17; W. Janssen, 14 yards, broke 14; O. Feudner, 18 yards, broke 13; F. L. Houpt, 14 yards, broke 11; L. H. Allen, 14 yards, broke 8; W. O. Cullen, 14 yards, broke 10; J. B. Hauer, 14 yards, broke 8; H. Klevesahl, 16 yards, broke 5; F. Knick, 14 yards, broke 7; F. Feudner, 16 yards, broke 13; Bert Patrick, 14 yards, broke 11; J. Peltier, 14 yards, broke 10; C. H. Collier, 14 yards, broke 10; J. E. Hough, 14 yards, broke 8.

POLOISTS RESUME PLAY ON BURLINGAME FIELD

The poloists of Burlingame Country Club resumed match play yesterday on the private field of Francis J. Carolan at Crossways Farm after a month's let-up. The teams were made up of three men each, instead of the customary four, as the full complement of players was not available. Lawrence McCreery, who was a member of Walter Buckmaster's famous team in England for years, made his first appearance of the season at Burlingame. He showed all his former skill as a horseman and with the polo mallet. The teams were made up as follows:

Reds—F. J. Carolan, Lawrence McCreery and W. S. Hobart.

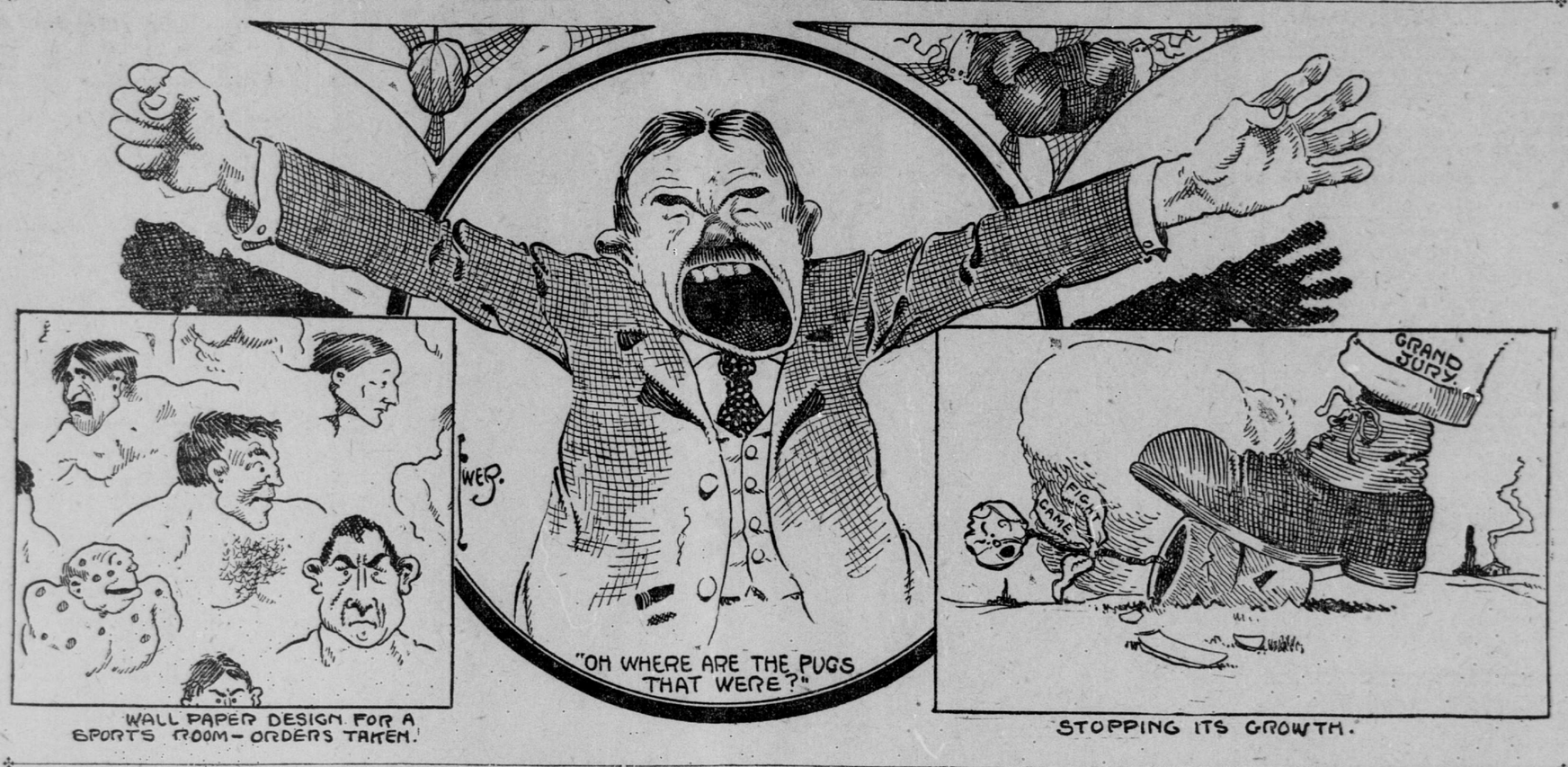
Whites—E. W. Howard, T. A. Driscoll and John Lawson.

George Parsons refereed the match. The score was a tie, each team making seven goals in the full six periods of play.

For the first time it has been decided to play at Burlingame throughout the summer, chiefly with a view to keeping players and ponies in condition for the sharp competition which is expected next winter, when the trophies won at the Coronado Country Club must be defended and when a strong English team is expected to enter the lists

Numerous Handicap Events on This Week's Racing Card

The Wail of the Sport



"OH WHERE ARE THE PUGS THAT WERE?"

WALL PAPER DESIGN FOR A SPORTS ROOM—ORDERS TAKEN.

STOPPING ITS GROWTH.

MURDOCK NOW TENNIS CHAMPION OF ALAMEDA

Veteran Wrests County Title From Charles Foley With Ease

Young Riders of Minor Reputation Are Coming to the Front at the Emeryville Track

By J. R. Jeffery

A number of handicaps that should attract the best horses in training are on the programme for this week at

The Call's Selections

possible for either the Keenes or Jennings to overcome. Hildreth has won only one more race than the Keenes, however. The list now stands:

ANOTHER WORLD RECORD IN FLY-CASTING EVENT

T. C. Kierulff Shows Great Skill With the Five-

The singles tennis championship of Alameda County was won by Percy Murdock of Alameda yesterday. The contestants in the finals were Murdock and Charles Foley of San Francisco, winner of the tournament last year. The easy manner in which the veteran disposed of Foley surprised the experts. As each had won from the other in the past, a close match had been looked for. Murdock outplayed his opponent in every set but one, winning three out of four. The score was 6-2, 6-1, 2-6, 6-4.

Murdock won the first two sets so easily that a victory in straight sets was predicted on all sides. Foley rallied in the third set and outplayed his opponent as badly as he had been outplayed in the others. When Foley had taken the first two games in the fourth set it began to look as though the match would be closely contested. Murdock, however, soon evened up the score and finally won the set, 6-4. In the last game Murdock on six occasions needed but one point to win.

Foley's defeat was due largely to his poor service. He almost invariably missed his first service and Murdock as a rule drove his second for an ace. The old-timer was right on his metal and his drive, both backhand and forehand, was working to perfection.

Murdock's victory was well earned and he deserves credit for having defeated such cracks as Janes, McLoughlin, Gardner and Foley. These four are the cleverest youngsters in the game at present, barring Coast Champion Long, and the fact that Murdock won from each of them with ease shows that he can hold his own with the present generation of experts without any difficulty. Murdock's victory restores to him a title he had won ten years ago. He has been champion of Alameda County off and on ever since.

Play was resumed in the handicap singles tournament for the Pendleton Cup on the Golden Gate Park courts yesterday. The playing of P. Hardeman, a new comer at the park, proved to be the feature. Placed on the fifteen mark by the handicapper, he defeated E. P. Finnigan and Fred Adams with ease. The youngester put up a great game and undoubtedly will develop into a star player.

The best match of the day was that between George Baker and Fitz Guerin. The latter overcame a lead of 4-0 in the first set, winning it by a score of 10-8. The next two sets, both if which were close, were won by Baker. The scores follow:

P. Hardeman (15) beat E. P. Finnigan (owe 3-6), 6-0, 6-2; G. Guerin (scratch) beat H. Miller (15), 8-6, 3-6, 6-1; Horace Mann (scratch) beat W. Fleming (15 3-6), 6-1, 6-2; Charles Foley (owe 30) beat N. Martin (3-6), 6-2, 6-3; J. Schwartz (15) beat L. Merguire (15), 7-5, 6-2; George Baker (owe 15 3-8) beat Guy Lytton (owe 3-6), 6-1, 6-2; Harold Getz (owe 3-6) beat J. A. Code (owe 3-6), 6-2, 6-2; Hardeman beat Fred Adams (owe 15 3-6), 6-3, 6-0.

OWEN HAD GOOD SIZED WAGER ON THE CONTEST

By R. R. l'Hommedieu

Ralph Owen and his crew spent yesterday driving around the city, enjoying the roads in the park and the Presidio. After the rub down in the Hammam baths Saturday they went to sleep and slept for twelve hours. It was almost midnight before they turned out. After a meal they turned in again and did not get up until early yesterday morning. H. O. Harrison left on the "Owl" last night for Los Angeles, having to return on account of business. Emmons will leave today.

Owen has several engagements that will keep him in town until Thursday, when he, too, will go to the southern city. He will stay in Los Angeles until Monday, when he will drive an Oldsmobile, which he sold to J. W. Nolan, a baker of Bisbee, Ariz., to the latter place. It is to be a pleasure trip, in which Mr. and Mrs. Nolan will take part. From Bisbee he will proceed East.

In speaking of the race, he said last night: "I am forced to return to Los Angeles. While I was there waiting for the time to start the enthusiasts came around telling me how I did not have a chance to win out. Now, this is annoying and there is only one way to stop them. It is to see how strong is their faith in their judgment by offering to wager them a little of the yellow metal. The result was I placed something like $2000 of my own money on the contest. Before I started there was no Pope-Hartford money in sight. So, outside of the interests of the company by which I am employed, the fun of the race and the pleasant vacation in California, I have picked up a little extra change. All in all, it was not such a bad trip.

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Thomas Henderson, the vice president of the Winton Company, left for the East last Saturday, after a very enjoyable two weeks in the city.

Emeryville and interesting racing should result. Indications are for pleasant weather and a fast track, which will bring out many horses that have not appeared frequently while the muddy going prevailed.

The attraction tomorrow will be the Bonnie Bird handicap over the Futurity course. On Wednesday the $1000 Pandemonian handicap for three-year-olds and upward, at a mile and fifty yards, will be the feature.

The Janet N handicap is on for Friday, and on Saturday there will be two handicaps. The Modreda, for two-year-olds, is at four and a half furlongs, and the Rose of Ormonde is a $1000 affair for three-year-olds and upward at a mile and a sixteenth.

Horsemen are reminded that entries for the Thornton renewal, at four miles, to be run Saturday, April 13, will close today.

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Riding honors were more evenly distributed at Emeryville the past week than during any previous week of the season. Jockey Fischer headed the list with five winners, with Lynch and Buxton tied for second place with three each. Koerner, Hunter, Keogh, Wright, Musgrave, Gross and Davis each piloted two firsts. The remaining eleven races went to as many different boys. The riding record for the week in detail was as follows:

JOCKEY.	Mounts....	First......	Second.....	Third......	Unplaced..
Fischer	25	5	3	4	13
E. Lynch	18	3	4	3	8
Buxton	5	3	0	0	12
Koerner	11	2	3	0	7
Hunter	19	2	2	2	13
Keogh	18	2	4	2	10
A. Wright	9	2	0	1	6
Musgrave	4	2	0	0	2
Gross	8	2	2	1	3
R. Davis	13	2	1	1	9
A. Brown	14	1	2	5	6
Graham	15	1	1	3	10
Jarrett	5	1	0	2	2
L. A. Jackson	1	1	0	0	0
Kirschbaum	6	1	0	1	4
McRae	5	1	0	1	3
Rettig	9	1	0	1	7
T. Rice	9	1	2	3	3
W. Smith	6	1	0	0	5
C. Williams	16	1	2	0	13
McLaughlin	2	1	0	0	1

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The record of the riders who have ridden two or more winners since the opening of the meeting is as follows:

JOCKEY.	Mounts......	First......	Second......	Third......	Unplaced.....	Winning percentage.....	Percentage in money......
W. Miller	274	98	48	45	85	.35	.70
L. Williams	325	65	58	40	162	.20	.50
A. Brown	411	56	49	66	240	.13	.42
Graham	338	50	35	52	201	.13	.40
Sandy	346	48	46	47	205	.14	.40
Koerner	115	30	26	13	46	.26	.60
Hunter	252	29	29	31	164	.11	.35
Knapp	119	22	15	19	63	.18	.45
McIntyre	105	21	21	14	49	.20	.53
Scoville	109	21	13	13	62	.20	.40
Horner	157	19	25	31	82	.12	.47
McBride	170	19	22	29	100	.11	.42
R. Davis	165	17	24	21	113	.10	.30
Fischer	103	16	15	11	62	.11	.40
W. Dugan	59	9	9	6	35	.15	.40
E. Lynch	59	9	11	6	33	.15	.41
E. Robinson	72	9	3	7	53	.12	.26
Buxton	67	8	5	9	45	.12	.33
T. Clark	83	8	6	10	59	.04	.29
Gross	46	8	2	9	27	.18	.41
E. Dugan	107	8	26	7	66	.08	.40
Borel	131	7	12	17	95	.05	.27
Rettig	91	7	8	10	66	.08	.28
T. Sullivan	100	7	8	12	73	.07	.27
Kirschbaum	154	6	19	17	112	.04	.28
Lycurgus	60	6	4	6	44	.10	.27
C. Miller	45	6	3	6	30	.13	.33
C. Williams	72	6	9	6	51	.08	.30
A. Wright	40	6	2	4	28	.15	.30
Nutting	22	5	0	2	15	.23	.32
Brussell	79	4	15	13	47	.05	.40
Earnshaw	25	4	2	0	19	.16	.24
Fountain	24	4	6	4	10	.16	.58
McRae	147	4	6	6	131	.03	.11
Jarrett	27	3	1	4	19	.11	.30
F. Kelly	23	3	4	3	13	.13	.43
Lawrence	75	3	11	9	51	.04	.30
Keogh	25	3	4	3	15	.12	.40
A. Williams	36	3	8	1	24	.09	.38
Grote	16	2	1	2	11	.12	.31
J. Hayes	35	2	5	3	25	.06	.29
McLaughlin	42	2	5	2	33	.05	.21
Musgrave	18	2	2	3	11	.11	.39
C. Ross	11	2	2	0	7	.18	.36
W. Smith	38	2	1	5	30	.05	.21
Thurston	13	2	3	1	7	.15	.46
F. Wilson	66	2	7	6	51	.03	.23

The following boys have each ridden one winner: Conway, J. Duggan, Fair, Flannery, Hildebrand, Harty, L. A. Jackson, J. Kelly, Lauby, W. Kelly, McClain, Mentry, Powers, Redfern, T. Rice, Wiley, A. Walsh and E. Walsh.

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The card for today is considerably

By J. R. Jeffery

First race—Husky, Rustler, Import.

Second race—Beknighted, Cerro Santa, Buchanan.

Third race—Convent Bell, Bon Vivant, Kogo.

Fourth race—Confederate, E. M. Brattain, Nonie Lucille.

Fifth race—Dutiful, Pal, Ed Sheridan.

Sixth race—Ruby, Northwest, Sahara.

Emeryville Entries

The entries and weights for today's races are as follows:

FIRST RACE—Four and a half furlongs; selling; two-year-olds:

738	Rustler (Pomeroy)	110
(732)	Husky (Ferguson)	114
667	Gage Taylor (Crane)	110
612	Gin Hee (Millin)	110
612	Lake View (Griffin)	110
732	Import (Healy)	110
660	*Follie L (Jennings)	102
612	*Valoski (Lee & Son)	102
678	*Macall (Dunn)	105
462	*Raleigh (Keene)	102
......	Willapink (S. C. Hildreth) Br. g. by Horatio-Loo.	107
......	Saint Modau (Marchmont Stable) Ch. c. by Milesio-Pandora.	110

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; selling; four-year-olds and up:

491	Sea Air (Sea Air Stable)	111
676	Reality (Armour)	113
730	Queen Anne (Campbell)	108
142	Peter J (Brannon)	113
666	Paddy Lynch (O'Donnell)	113
547	Lem Reed (M. R. Williams)	113
9574	*Beknighted (Lee & Son)	111
709	Norwood Ohio (F. M. Smith)	113
145	*Cerro Santa (Ellerd)	108
6666	Iadora (Lynch & Co.)	108
700	Quindara (T. J. Smith)	113
9848	Buchanan (Schreiber)	111

THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs; selling; three-year-olds:

734	Rose Cherry (Neil)	102
(699)	Kogo (Albertson)	102
734	E B H (Ross)	104
739	Calmar (Jackson)	104
672	Tanana (Nome Stable)	107
(739)	*Bon Vivant (Keene)	99
656	Alaric (Case)	104
(715)	*Wicklow (Ellerd)	102
739	*Blanche C (Polk)	102
(734)	Convent Bell (Caine & Co.)	102
662	Burning Bush (Selma Stable)	104
(703)	*Handmaiden (Lunsman)	102

FOURTH RACE—Five and a half furlongs; purse; three-year-olds and up:

(724)	Nonie Lucille (McCafferty)	105
746	The Mist (Ross)	107
731	Fair Fagot (Helfers)	100
689	Lord of the Forest (Artberry)	107
609	Romaine (Scharetg)	109
719	Princess Wheeler (Fine)	107
746	E. M. Brattain (Millin)	109
689	Escamado (Rowell)	109
707	Wool Sandals (Applegate)	100
670	Confederate (Jennings)	110
259	Queen Cup (Lynch)	107
719	Misty's Pride (B. H. Kirby)	107

FIFTH RACE—One and a sixteenth miles; selling; four-year-olds and up:

745	*Rolla (Walker)	103
745	*W. B. Gates (Rice)	102
743	Hugh McGowan (Rowell)	107
741	Theo. Case (Judge & Co.)	106
664	Ed Sheridan (Hildebrandt)	112
682	Daniel C (Dealy)	103
740	Susie Christian (Graham)	105
628	*San Remo (Applegate & Cotton)	105
(741)	Talamund (McLaughlin)	106
742	Dutiful (St. Vincent)	110
742	*Pal (Fountain)	108
742	Benvolio (Hoag)	115

SIXTH RACE—One mile; purse; mares three-year-olds and up:

610	Ismailian (Schaffer)	110
635	Edith James (Lynch)	108
657	Northwest (Hawke)	110
(671)	Ruby (Jennings)	110
718	Sahara (Bogan)	108
712	Mabel Hollander (White)	100

*Apprentice allowance.

above the average for a Monday and form reversals are likely to be less in evidence than during the past week. Garnett Ferguson's Husky has been running very consistently and probably will be able to beat the other two-year-olds in the opening event.

In the second Beknighted will make his debut, and as he is reported to be working well he may win. He is away the class of the race. Buchanan also will make his first appearance at the meeting in this race.

Convent Bell seems to prefer the dry track and may repeat her recent victory in the third.

Confederate ran well his only out and should be able to earn brackets in the fourth, although the field is well balanced and there are several dangerous possibilities among the entries.

Dutiful had all of his old-time speed in his race on Friday and should win the fifth from Pal and Ed Sheridan.

The sixth looks like a two-horse race. Ruby and Northwest outclass the others and probably will fight it out.

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J. O. & G. H. Keene wrested second place in the list of winning owners from W. B. Jennings during the past week, but there is no chance of S. C. Hildreth losing the lead, as he has a margin of $10,000, which it will be im-

OWNER.	No. Races Won......	Amount of Purses Won......
S. C. Hildreth	37	$27,770
J. O. and G. H. Keene	36	17,370
W. B. Jennings	22	16,810
William Walker	27	14,010
C. C. McCafferty	16	11,795
William Cahill	17	11,670
C. E. Durnell	11	8,650
R. R. Rice Jr.	19	7,790
W. V. Conran	2	7,650
H. E. Rowell	13	7,600
T. H. Stevens & Son	4	6,880
H. T. Griffin	10	6,020
E. J. Ramsey	13	5,735
D. S. Fountain	13	5,655
Barney Schreiber	12	5,475
T. H. Williams	9	5,375
G. M. Van Gordan	7	5,150
C. Van Dusen	8	4,530
Harry Stover	11	4,275
Hoag & Co.	9	4,215
Fleur de Lis Stable	11	4,170
H. R. Schaffer	5	4,145
F. W. Healey	3	4,080
William Durker	9	4,050
W. W. Elliott	3	4,010
J. A. Murray	5	3,750
J. D. Millin	8	3,725
Hall & Marshall	10	3,595
Lee & Son	7	3,590
Harry Mack	10	3,530
Sobra Vista Stable	4	3,435
J. M. Crane	8	3,425
Ed Gaylord	5	3,405
A. Koenigsberger	8	3,150
Scharetg & Co.	7	3,035
A. F. Elliott	7	3,035
E. J. Baldwin	6	2,855
William Hawke	7	2,820
G. P. McNeil	7	2,755
Davies & Co.	6	2,720
Molera & Joseph	7	2,750
P. G. Lynch	7	2,700
W. P. Fine	7	2,630
James Touhey	7	2,580
Caine & Co.	6	2,555
Sierra Nevada Stable	6	2,490
William St. Vincent	5	2,415
H. G. Bedwell	1	2,380
Oakland Stable	6	2,325
J. S. Wood	4	2,125
Hume & Co	5	2,025
J. E. Hoppas	5	1,950
J. F. Clifford	5	1,870
C. Helfers	5	1,830
P. Sheridan	4	1,815
J. Armstrong	4	1,800
T. S. Childs	3	1,705
T. G. Ferguson	4	1,700
A. J. Jackson	4	1,685
Maple Stable	3	1,650
W. P. Magrane	4	1,600
Stuart Polk	4	1,505
Puerl Wilkerson	3	1,475
W. O. Joplin	4	1,450
C. J. Casey	4	1,450
J. H. Brannon	3	1,400
D. Conley	4	1,325
J. Ryan	3	1,285
Harry Robinson	3	1,245
T. E. Brophy	2	1,205
Rancho del Rio	3	1,205
R. F. Carman	0	1,150
T. H. Ryan	3	1,125
J. V. Kirby	3	1,100
A. Lunsman	3	1,050
Dealy Company	2	1,040
W. F. Walter	2	1,005

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Thirty-two horses have won $2000 or upward at the meeting to date, as follows:

Horse.	Owner.	Amt.
Voladay	William Cahill	$8170
Proper	W. B. Jennings	7885
Kercheval	W. V. Conran	7650
Logistilla	S. C. Hildreth	6835
Tony Faust	S. C. Hildreth	5595
Dr. Leggo	C. C. McCafferty	5560
Ramus	T. H. Stevens & Son	5305
Sir Edward	G. M. Van Gordan	5160
Rapid Water	S. C. Hildreth	4605
Temaceo	C. E. Durnell	4450
Edwin Gum	William Walker	4025
Collector Jessup	James A. Murray	3700
Firestone	T. H. Williams	3650
Don Hamilton	W. W. Elliott	3390
Van Ness	S. C. Hildreth	3215
Andrew Mack	William Cahill	3075
Eudora	A. B. Buchanan	3020
Ocean Shore	A. F. Elliott	3000
Corrigan	H. E. Rowell	2805
Rubric	Ed Gaylord	2695
Boas	J. O. & G. H. Keene	2660
Jake Moose	T. F. Buckley	2630
Abbey	H. T. Griffin	2565
Cloudlight	Molera & Joseph	2500
Lord Nelson	Fleur de Lis Stable	2485
Burleigh	J. B. Smith	2330
Nonie Lucille	C. C. McCafferty	2325
Beechwood	D. S. Fountain	2300
Borghesi	Sobra Vista Stable	2150
Mansard	J. O. & G. H. Keene	2135
Gateway	J. S. Wood	2125
Hector	Hall & Marshall	2070
Princess Wheeler	W. P. Fine	2005
Dusty Miller	C. Van Dusen	2000
Shady Lad	T. F. Buckley	2000

MIKE (TWIN) SULLIVAN IS TO FIGHT MELLODY

Mike (Twin) Sullivan, the boxer, is in the city on his way to Los Angeles, where he is matched to fight Honey Mellody for the welterweight championship, which he is credited with holding, although he has been defeated twice by Joe Thomas. The men are to meet before Tom McCarey's club on April 23 and they have agreed to weigh in at 142 pounds.

Sullivan is trying to get a match here for Young Donohue, a lightweight who has been holding his own with all the boys in his class in the East.

Ounce Rod

The clever rod wielders of the San Francisco Flycasting Club continue to perform astonishing feats with the five-ounce rod in their competition at Stow Lake in Golden Gate Park. T. C. Kierulff, president of the club, broke all world's records in the delicacy event yesterday with a score of 99 46-60 per cent. In this competition both accuracy and delicacy are taken into account. This is the event which more nearly approaches trout fishing on a stream than any other form of competition with rod and line.

In the delicacy part of this event Kierulff made a perfect score, while in accuracy he was credited with 99 8-15 per cent. This means that had there been any member of the trout family near the scene of his operations he would not have been able to resist the barbed fly so skillfully presented. This score has never been equaled in any competition.

Dr. W. E. Brooks also was in great form, making a score of 99 8-15 per cent in the regular accuracy event.

The direction of the wind was unfavorable for the men who competed in the distance event and the scores were all poor. They follow:

Contestant—	Distance feet........	Accuracy, Per cent.....	DELICACY.			Lure Casting, per cent....
			Accuracy, Per Cent.	Delicacy, Per Cent.	Net Pct....	
C. G. Young	....	98.9	98.14	99	99.8	97
J. R. Douglas	65	96.43	98.1	90	94.2	....
H. C. Golcher	....	98.3	97.10	99	98.20	....
Dr. W. E. Brooks	....	99.8	98.7	97.5	97.54	95.4
F. V. Bell	....	98.9	94.11	91	92.52	....
T. C. Kierulff	....	98.6	99.8	100	99.46	97.9
H. H. Kirk	80	97.11	97.2	95.5	96.14	....
G. B. M. Gray	15	96.10	98.3	92	90.6	....
L. G. Burpee	65	97.10	98.11	93	95.52	....
F. A. Webster	69	97.1	99.2	91	95.14	....
F. H. Reed	....	97.10	98.7	97	97.54	....
RE-ENTRY						
C. G. Young	....	98.14	98.7	97.5	97.54	98.3
J. R. Douglas	....	96.8	98.3	90.10	94.22	....
H. C. Golcher	....	98.13	.....	.....	.....	....
Dr. W. E. Brooks	....	98.4	.....	.....	.....	93.3
F. V. Bell	....	97.3	.....	.....	.....	....
T. C. Kierulff	....	99.1	.....	.....	.....	97
H. H. Kirk	....	98.2	.....	.....	.....	....
G. B. M. Gray	....	97.12	.....	.....	.....	....
L. G. Burpee	....	97.7	.....	.....	.....	....
F. A. Webster	....	98.5	.....	.....	.....	....
F. H. Reed	....	98.7	98.13	96.5	97.36	....

FAVORITE GREYHOUNDS FAIL THEIR BACKERS

Choo Choo and The Crowd Win Deciding Races at Good Odds

The talent was out of line in picking winners at Ingleside Coursing Park yesterday. Short enders brought home the money with unusual regularity and the form players went down and out when choices in the finals of the class stake and unfinished stake were beaten decisively. The hardest blow of the day was the defeat of Billy Mullally by Choo Choo in the final of the unfinished event. Five to two was the price the bettors laid against Whalen's performer, which ran away from Mullally. Freeport was selected to defeat The Crowd in the final of the class event and the latter hound was made a 5 to 4 shot. The Crowd won without allowing his competitor to score.

The hare favored The Crowd in his race against Freeport, but the winner showed a trifle more speed and would have undoubtedly won if the hare had gone straight up the field. Golden Tralee showed good form and defeated Dan Finnegan and Real Rocker in decisive fashion. The Open stake was postponed owing to a scarcity of hares.

A crack bunch of dogs has been entered in the Flight stake, which will be run on next Sunday.

The results follow:

Unfinished stake, second round—Young Johnnie beat Ina Cissus, Topaz beat Grace Hill, Gallant Tipperary beat Golden Rule, Choo Choo beat Nora Alto, Amandan beat Onondago, Sampler beat Foosteps, Rosie McVey beat Golden Feather, Rose of Gold beat Sebastopol, Bright Flower beat Mi Amigo, Billy Mullally beat Primrose.

Third round—Young Johnnie beat Topaz, Choo Choo beat Gallant Tipperary, Sampler beat Amandan, Rosie McVey beat Rose of Gold, Billy Mullally beat Bright Flower.

Fourth round—Choo Choo beat Young Johnnie, Sampler beat Rosie McVey, Billy Mullally a bye.

Fifth round—Choo Choo beat Billy Mullally, Sampler a bye.

Final—Choo Choo a bye, Sampler withdrawn.

Class stake, first round—Jim Lamb beat Sangerman, The Roman beat Barge, The Crowd beat Mr. Sonjers, Argyle's Best beat Rear Admiral, Real Rocker a bye, Richard Anton withdrawn, Belmont beat Wild Wood, Golden Tralee beat Dan Finnegan, Freeport beat Clyde.

Second round—Jim Lamb beat The Roman,

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HUNDREDS OF FANS PAY VISIT TO BALL GROUNDS

Grandstand and Bleachers Are Inspected by Many Critical Eyes

By W. J. Slattery

Though they knew that the glorious day which marks the opening of the baseball season—the dearest day in all the year to them—was still nearly a week off, several hundred of the real tried-and-not-found-wanting fans wended their way to the new ball park at Fifteenth and Valencia streets yesterday. Instead of the leather-covered sphere traveling swiftly through the air the fans gazed upon the plodding harrows and clod mashers, while the noise of the swinging hammers took the place of the pop of the base hit.

Everybody seemed satisfied with the appearance of the new field. Groups of fans took seats in the grandstand and on the bleachers, and eagerly discussed the prospects for next Saturday and predicted how the Seals will hand it to the Beavers in the first real live baseball game San Francisco has known since April 15.

As usual the small boy figured prominently at the grounds and the enthusiasm he showed was great. He climbed into the stands and selected the seats he hopes to occupy some Sunday or holiday afternoon when fortune smiles on him. As for the bleachers he tried them first and picked out the choicest place from which to secure the best line on every base, the outfield and the catcher's box.

The bleachers in the new park are well arranged. Formerly the spectator was compelled to lean over in order to avoid being kicked on the small of the back by the man behind him. Now there is plenty of space behind each seat and the fan can sit down and watch the game in comfort while he munches peanuts.

If the right field fence was twenty or thirty feet farther away from the home plate the grounds would be ideal. The management, however, will put a wire netting on top of the woodwork, and Cal Ewing says that any man who is capable of walloping the sphere over it is entitled to make the round of the bases.

Ewing and his associates are confident that they will secure the additional ground in right field before the season progresses very far. They were in hopes that the strip of land would be theirs before the season opened, but when it came to closing the deal there were several obstacles to overcome and the transaction was postponed temporarily.

Local fans will regret to hear that George McLaughlin and Charley Doyle have been sold to the Des Moines Club of the Western Association. They have been playing ball on the Pacific Coast for ten years or more and always "made good." Under these circumstances it seems strange that none of the managers of the league sought their services. The fans are willing to wager many pieces of gold that there are several outfielders in the league who are not as fast as either McLaughlin or Doyle.

McCreedie has wired that the Portland flock is fast coming to its own now that sunshine has taken the place of rain at Salinas. He was so downhearted and despondent two weeks ago that he asked the local magnates to allow him to complete his training on the new field here. Perhaps the manager of the Beavers knew that it rained some in this city and that if he came here at that time he would have been compelled to train his men in rowboats.

It is likely that the Northwestern League will take all the released players from this league who have not yet secured berths. More than a week ago the manager of the Pendleton team wired that he could accommodate four or five of the boys. It is understood that little Schofeld, who was released by Long, has his choice of several of the teams of the north.

Hal Chase has not yet made his peace with Manager Griffith of the New York Americans, and from present indications the fans of Gotham will not see the great Californian in action this season unless the management comes through with a raise in salary. Many of the local ball players think that Chase is foolish for holding out. The members of the Giants, however, were all unanimous in saying that the rooters will give Griffith no peace until he secures Chase, for they all regard him as the greatest guardian of the first sack the team has ever known.

Unless his present plans are changed Manager Jones has always been a favorite with the fans, and as he wants to start the season off Long thinks the best thing he can do is to comply with his wish.

SALINAS NINE WINS

SALINAS, March 31.—The Salinas baseball team, after the most exciting game ever played on the local diamond, defeated McCreedie's Portland team this afternoon by a score of 3 to 2.

The Crowd beat Argyle's Best, Golden Tralee beat Real Rocker, Freeport beat Belmont.

Third round—Freeport beat Golden Tralee, The Crowd a bye.

Final—The Crowd beat Freeport.

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