STEWARDS' ACTION IS WELL RECEIVED.

Racing Men Applaud Their Efforts to Purge the Turf of Abuses.

Messrs. Thompson Evidence Their Earnest Intention to Settle the Selling Race Trouble.

CLEOPHUS BID UP AFTER WINNING.

First Choices and Second Favorites Take All the Money at Gravesend in Fast Time Despite a Thick Sea Fog.

Racing men found plenty to talk about yesterday outside of the events of the day. The action taken by the stewards of the Jockey Club on Monday evening was discussed on every hand. Naturally the ruling off of Riley Grannan was the leading topic. Much personal consideration was expressed for the doughty young plunger, but, at that, the general consensus of opinion was that, as he had violated a known rule of racing, he had only himself to thank for his plight, even if there was nothing more beneath the surface than the reason given in the stewards' official report.

After the stewards' action, taken as a whole, the general opinion is one of unqualified satisfaction. It is hoped on almost every side that the presentation of the further facts to the State Racing Commission will result in more action toward purifying the turf of its unwholesome outgrowths. There is, of course, much underlying the official announcement that cannot be known by those unfamiliar with the testimony, but it is eminently satisfactory to note how ready the general public is to accept the stewards' action, and to place all confidence in their ability to ultimately put racing on a sound basis. The rule forbidding owners, trainers or stable employes from directly or indirectly betting against horses owned, trained or cared for by such persons created much discussion in regard to its correct interpretation. One of the stewards said yesterday that he construed the rule as forbidding men from laying against horses in which they are interested, not from backing horses the property of other owners. The point was raised by a report that Mr. M. F. Dwyer backed Tragedian to be third in the Neptune Stakes. The rule will directly affect layers who own horses more than any one else.

The atmosphere at Gravesend reeked with a raw sea fog that made the "sport of kings" anything but an unmixed pleasure. Favorites and second favorites, however, divided the money, four of the winners being decided first choices. The Thompson brothers, the owners of the Brookdale Stud and Stable, showed that they made no empty boast when they said they were going to do their best to solve the selling race difficulty. They bid on Cleophus, and sent her price from $3,000 to $4,505, and hoisted Sir Francis from $700 to $1,205. The tactics adopted are commendable, because the thing is not overdone. The raises are moderate in amount, but sufficient to remind owners that selling events are not to be so easy in the future as in the past.

The two stakes decided were of minor importance. The Neptune, for two-year-olds, is a selling event at six furlongs. Only five sported silk, and Cleophus would have been a red-hot favorite but for a widely circulated report that Divide had worked the distance in 1.15¾. This drove the latter's price to 8 to 5, until 11 to 10 was offered against Mr. Dwyer's filly. Cleophus made all the running and won, but it was a tight fit. Divide sulked on the turn, and did not really get to going till the stretch was reached. Then, under the whip, she came fast, but Cleophus ran with bulldog courage, and, excellently handled by Sims, got home by a head. Tragedian, who showed more speed than usual, was second most of the way, but was beaten a length by Divide at the finish.

The Culver Handicap, at six furlongs, brought half a dozen to the post, of whom Tom Cromwell was made favorite at 8 to 5, though he was conceding from six to sixteen pounds to the others. The favorite showed no speed and was never in the race. Rubicon set the pace, with Arapahoe in attendance. The latter was done for after going a half, and though Rubicon led to the last furlong, Agitator and Tremargo soon had him beaten, and, drawing out, fought till the post was passed. Tremargo ran with unusual gameness, but he could never quite get to Agitator, who won by a head. The time—1.15—was good, considering the weights and the weather, but as regards the latter condition, it did not prevent fast races throughout the afternoon.

The six furlong two-year-old handicap was thought to be between Set Fast and Swamp Angel, who closed equal favorites at twos, but Scarf Pin, who coupled with her stable companion, Tempestuous, was at 4 to 1, went to the front after going three furlongs, and leading all the rest of the way, won cleverly by a neck from Set Fast, with the others beaten off. Passover got off so badly that his chance was spoiled.

A selling race at a mile for non-winners at the meeting had Sir Francis a warm favorite, and he won with great ease from Cromwell, who made up a great deal of ground after lying back of the pack in the early part. Halifing ran well to the head of the stretch, when he fell back. His jockey, Hewitt, complained of foul riding on the part of Danny Mahr, who was on Jefferson. Halfling was knocked to his knees and Hewitt's leg was scraped.

Ted Sloane rode his third winner in the mile and a furlong handicap. He was on the favorite, Belmar, but at that he had to work hard passage. Doggett made the running for six furlongs, but was then done for, but Brandywine, who had been lying second, hung on longer than expected. Belmar and Lake Shore got to him in the stretch and fought it out, the gray getting the verdict by three parts of a length in a drive.

The last race was devoted to a dozen exceedingly bad maidens from three to five years old. Bellport, a hot favorite, gave Clayton his second victory of the day by staggering home in front of McCafferty's Dr. Grimes, who was backed for a really good thing. FRANCIS TREVELYAN.

Results at Windsor.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 2.—The races at Windsor to-day, which were run on a muddy track, resulted as follows:

First Race—Purse $200, selling; five-eighths of a mile.—Gwen, 104 (Beauchamp), 4 to 1, won handily by a length; Gus Strauss, 109 (Banks), 2 to 1, second; F. M. B., 109 (Congdon), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:05¼. Wickiman, Victoria, Lady Dixon, Bombard, Lancashire Witch and Amber finished as named. Becky Sharp fell.

Second Race—Purse $200, selling; seven-eighths of a mile.—My Hebe, 105 (Healey), 7 to 1, won easily by a length; Bismarck, 105 (Sherland), 8 to 5, second; Potsdam, 105 (Beauchamp), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:35¼. Danuisk, Lay On and Commissioner Frank finished as named.

Third Race—Purse $200, allowances; six and a half furlongs.—Jennie June, 109 (Sherland), 4 to 5, won easily by four lengths; Sister Ione, 105 (Scott), 20 to 1, second; Excuse, 103 (Beauchamp), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:25½. Loyal Prince, Old Dominion, Ashland finished as named.

Fourth Race—Purse $250, allowances; three-quarters of a mile.—Liseig, 108 (Ross), even money, won easily by a length; Fay Belle, 98 (Sherland), 2 to 1, second; Ardath, 102 (Beauchamp), 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:19½. Integrity also ran.

Fifth Race—Purse $200, for two-year-olds, allowances; five eighths of a mile.—Pat Morrisey, 105 (Corder), even money, won easily by three lengths; Harry S., 105 (Healey), 3 to 1, second; Allegro, 102 (Randall), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:05. Overflow and Merry Chimes finished as named.

Yorkville C. C. Were Easy Winners.

[illegible] cricket match at Central [illegible] between the Yorkville C. [illegible] from the St. George, H [illegible] the latter were [illegible]

MUD LARKS FIRST HOME.

Races at Oakley Decided on a Track Well Soaked by Twenty-Four Hours' Rain.

Cincinnati, O., Sept. 29.—The races to-day were run in a blinding rainstorm, and as it has rained steadily for the last twenty-four hours, none but the mud horses had a chance.

Will Wallace made a big winning on Roy Carruthers in the last race. He was backed from 6 to 4 to 1, and won in a gallop by five lengths. C. A. Richfield, trainer for C. C. O'Fallon, and E. T. McConnel, an associate of the former, were indefinitely suspended for the in-and-out running of Linnette at this meeting.

Summary:

First Race—Purse $300; for two-year-olds; selling; five furlongs.—Bromo, 94 (Shannon), 2 to 1, won easily by five lengths; Olean 94 (C. Reiff), 2 to 1, second; Oscuro, 101 (Scherrer), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:04. Rachel, Kenston, Etta Monarch, Candy and Ponzonina finished as named.

Second Race—Purse $300; for all ages; seven furlongs.—Hanlon, 107 (Thorpe), 6 to 5, won easily by five lengths; Dare II., 93 (T. Burns), 2 to 1, second; Sir Vassar, 110 (Thompson), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:32. Domingo and Chatterbox finished as named.

Third Race—Handicap for two-year-olds; $400 added; six furlongs.—Truxillo, 106 (Scherrer), 5 to 2, won easily by three lengths; Sister Clara, 106 (F. Russell), 9 to 2, second; Banquo II., 106 (Thompson), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:18¾. Holy Number and Big Knight finished as named.

Fourth Race—Purse $300; for four-year-olds and upward; selling; one mile.—Balk Line, 98 (C. Reiff), 8 to 1, won easily by ten lengths; Paul Pry, 107 (Perkins), 6 to 5, second; Little Tom, 90 (Payton), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:48. Jamboree, Morte Fonse, Aletha Allen, Necodah, Fuero, Ganeion, Text and Frontman finished as named.

Fifth Race—Purse $300; for two-year-olds; selling; five furlongs.—Roy Carruthers, 98 (Walker), 4 to 1, won easily by five lengths; Goldie Locks, 100 (Scherrer), 3 to 1, second; What Next, 92 (Dupee), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:04¾. Timerah, Red, Hopblazard, Cannonade and Nellie finished as named.

WISHARD LOSES DAMSEL II.

Purchased After She Had Won the Trial Stakes at Newmarket.

London, Sept. 29.—At Newmarket to-day the Trial Stakes, with 100 sovereigns added, five furlongs, was won by Mr. E. Wishard's chestnut filly Damsel II., by Kinglike, out of Stonecrop. Mr. Taylor Sharpe's brown colt East Sheen was second, and Mr. Fairie's chestnut colt Aerolite third. The betting was 10 to 1 against Damsel II.; 2 to 1 against East Sheen, and 5 to 1 against Aerolite.

The winner was purchased after the race by Mr. Lampton. The price paid was 540 guineas.

The eighteenth Great Foal Stakes of fifteen sovereigns each, with 1,000 sovereigns added, one mile and two furlongs, straight, was won by the Duke of Westminster's brown colt Labrador, Lord Londonderry's brown filly Serfdom was second, and Mr. T. Jennings's bay filly Glow, third.

The First Nursery Handicap, for two-year-olds, five furlongs, was won by the Duke of Devonshire's Bayolla, Mr. Leopold de Rothschild's Gelatine was second, and Mr. Theobald's Lady Bess third. Mr. P. Lorillard's Astolpho was one of the starters, but was not placed.

The Visitors' Plate, five furlongs, was won by Mr. Theobald's Lady Ernie, Sir M. Fitzgerald's Princess Patsy second, and Lord Ellesmere's Lady Nithsdale third. Lord William Beresford's Anisette II. was a starter, but was not placed.

The Granby Plate for two-year-olds, six furlongs, was won by Lord Londonderry's Cyrenian, Mr. J. M. Hanbury's Morisco was second, and Prince Soltykoff's Uenerek third. Mr. P. Lorillard's Quibble II. started, but failed to get a place.

TO-DAY'S PROBABLE WINNERS.

At Gravesend.

First Race—Floridas, Vinita.
Second Race—Ballyroe, Arabian.
Third Race—Goldcrest, Volley.
Fourth Race—Ameer, Harrington.
Fifth Race—Nana H., Friendship.
Sixth Race—Article, Midgeley.

At Windsor.

First Race—Hulbert, Victoria.
Second Race—Leoncie, Fat Morrissey.
Third Race—Alto June, Elano.
Fourth Race—Negoncie, Wrangling Duchess.
Fifth Race—Miss Kitty, Sauteur.
Sixth Race—Rapalatchie, Austin.

Entries at Gravesend.

First Race—Purse $500, for maiden two-year-olds; special weights; five furlongs and a half.
1047 Chum, 111, Sensation Stable.
1009 St. Roque, 111, J. R. & F. P. Keene.
—— Stockbridge, 111.
1048 Brave Lad, 111, Henry Stull.
1047 Florida, 108, J. C. Cahn.
1047 Simonian, 108, A. Clason.
1048 Sly, 108, Lassen Stable.
1034 Hewitt, 108, J. J. McCafferty.
1048 Vinita, 108, Spinney & Hampton.
958 Numerolt, 108, L. Stuart.

Second Race—Purse $500, for maiden two-year-olds; special weights; five furlongs and a half.
1047 Contractor, 111, R. Pfefferling & Co.
1048 Bragaloine, 111, W. C. Daly.
1047 Arabian, 111, R. W. Walden & Son.
1048 Maxine Elliott, 108, J. E. Madden.
968 Ballyroe, 103, W. Lakeland.
1035 Clatterfeet, 108, J. R. Keene.
1048 One Chance, 108, F. O. Burridge.
1021 L. B., 108, A. F. Brown & Co.
1047 Red Spider, 108, M. F. Stephenson.
—— Ellmont, 108.

Third Race—Purse $800; handicap, for three-year-olds; one mile and a sixteenth.
987 Goldcrest, 116, W. Lakeland.
957 Tom Cromwell, 115, M. F. Dwyer.
701 Counsellor Howe, 106, W. Donohue.
994 Hadrel, 104, D. Gideon.
1036 Volley, 102, W. C. Daly.
1042 Sapelo, 100, A. M. Hunter.
—— Beau Ideal, 95, E. H. Hanna.

Fourth Race—Purse $500, for three-year-olds and upward; selling; six furlongs.
1041 Harrington, 109, W. Donohue.
1029 Ameer, 107, J. Kneale.
1036 Halfling, 102, J. E. Seagram.
1026 Runaway, 102, F. L. Parker.
1036 Argentina, 97, Santa Anita Stable.
1042 Amanda V., 96, J. E. Madden.
977 Karma, 93, O. A. Jones.
1008 Medico, 93, Sensation Stable.
1052 Patrol, 93, Blemton Stable.

Fifth Race—Purse $500, for two-year-olds; special weights; allowances; five furlongs and a half.
(995) Nana H., 108, W. Hayward.
1037 Hurl, 108, M. F. Stephenson.
1007 Brighton, 108, A. Lakeland.
1015 Emily Henderson, 108, J. E. Madden.
1044 Ross O., 108, F. L. Parker.
1044 Friendship, 108, W. J. O'Brien.
1037 Miss Prim, 108, Mrs. C. Littlefield, Jr.,
999 Leonore, 108, A. Clason.

Sixth Race—Purse $500, for three-year-olds and upward; special weights; selling; two miles, over eight hurdles.
(1033) Midgley, 157, J. E. McDonald.
838 Southerner, 155, L. Dunlap.
1035 Sam Up, 145, W. M. Barrick.
103 Phoebus, 142, P. Welch.
1053 Article, 132, Erie Stable.
1027 Alakumia, 132, H. Warnke.

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First Race—Five furlongs.
Cherry Leaf.....106 Rockwall 101
Uncle Eli.....106 Argavalla 101
Doomful 101

Second Race—Seven furlongs.
Irish Lady.....106 Katie G.....106
Redwood .....100 Joe Thayer.....103
Manchester .....100 Chatterbox 100
Say On.....100 Dexter 95

Third Race—Selling; six furlongs.
Cannonade .....108 Banquo II.....104
What Next.....106 Lady Louise.....101
Well .....106 Dulcenia 101
Gaston .....104 Kenston 101

Fourth Race—Endurance Stakes; two and one-half miles.
Grannan .....105 Sir Vassar.....85

Fifth Race—Selling; six furlongs.
Elizbett .....104 Tancred 101
Lazzim .....104 Richfield 101
A. B. C.....104 Harry Shannon.....93
Old Centre.....104 Equinox 93
Marquise 101

Sixth Race—Hurdle handicap; mile and one-sixteenth.
Captain Rees.....100 Dick Tension.....138
Uncle Jim.....150 Scamp 130
Hercules .....148 Tippecanoe 125
St. Jaco.....148

For Their Third Australian Match.

Philadelphia, Sept. 29.—The team selected to meet the Australian cricketers next Friday for the third and final match is G. S. Patterson, W. W. Noble, H. I. Brown, E. W. Clarke, C. Coates, A. M. Wood, J. B. King, H. Brown, J. A. Lester, H. P. Bailey and P. [illegible] Clark or Biddle.

HEMPSTEAD PROGRAMME.

Lively Card of Four Steeplechases and a Trotting Race Arranged by the Meadowbrook Hunt Club.

The Meadowbrook Hunt Club has arranged a very sporting programme, including four steeplechases and a trotting race, for Saturday, November 7. Entries close at 6 p. m. Saturday, October 31, with A. Stevens, Post Office Box No. 386, Hempstead, L. I. The Committee of Management comprises Messrs. R. N. Ellis, A. Stevens and O. W. Bird. Some of the stewards who will act are Messrs. W. Rutherford, Perry Tiffany, E. C. Potter, S. D. Ripley, F. O. Beach, T. Hitchcock, Jr., E. L. Winthrop, Jr., H. Duryea, H. L. Herbert, H. B. Hollins, A. Stevens, R. N. Ellis and O. W. Bird. The stewards reserve the right to refuse any entry or to object to any rider. The conditions of the events are as follows:

First Race—The Meadow Brook Cup; a steeplechase, open to horses that have been regularly hunted with any recognized pack of hounds; a sweepstakes of $10 each, p. p., of which 50 per cent to the first, 30 per cent to the second and 20 per cent to the third horse, added to a piece of plate. To be run in two classes: Lightweight class, catch weights over 165 pounds; heavyweight class, catch weights over 190 pounds. The two classes to be started and run together. If the winner of the heavy-weight class finish ahead of all the lightweight horses he shall receive both prizes and all the first money; ditto second and third. The course to be over about four miles of fair hunting country to and around a flag visible to all riders from the start. The general direction will be indicated by flags at intervals. To be ridden by gentlemen and qualified riders, and members of any recognized hunt.

Second Race—The Club Cup; farmers' trotting race; open to horses not having a record of three minutes or better; the bona fide property of farmers residing in the new county of Queens, as delineated by the Greater New York Act.

Third Race—The Hunt Cup, a steeplechase open to teams of two from any recognized hunt. Two or more teams can be entered from the same hunt. A sweepstakes of $50 each team, pay or play, of which 50 per cent to the first, 30 per cent to the second and 20 per cent to the third horse, added to a piece of plate, catch weights over 175 pounds. For horses that have been hunted regularly with any recognized pack of hounds. About three miles, to be flagged over a fair hunting country. To be ridden by gentlemen and qualified riders and members of any recognized hunt. Information as to the scale of points to determine the winner will be published on the day of the race.

Fourth Race—A private sweepstakes of $75 each; $50 forfeit but only $25 if declared by 6 p. m. of the day preceding the race. Weight for age, overweight allowed; thoroughbreds 7 pounds extra; about three miles to be flagged over a fair hunting country. To be ridden by gentlemen or qualified riders or members of some recognized hunt.

Fifth Race—A private sweepstakes of $10 each, post entry. For horses that have never started in any steeplechase. About three miles over a fair hunting country; catch weights over 150 pounds; no colors required. To be ridden by gentlemen and qualified riders or members of some recognized hunt.

SAID 'AU REVOIR' TO FREEDMAN.

Most of the Giants Have Already Signed for Next Season.

At the request of President Freedman, of the New York Baseball Club, the majority of the players in the team called at the club's offices, at No. 39 Cortlandt street, yesterday. Beckley was the only Giant missing, he having left for his home, in Pittsburg, on Saturday night.

The players were all cordially greeted by Mr. Freedman, who complimented them on the excellent showing they made during the last two months. He told them that the team next season would be under the management of "Bill" Joyce, and he hoped they would do their best to aid him in his efforts to give this city a winning team.

It was said that all of those present signed contracts for next year before leaving Mr. Freedman's office.

TOM BURKE HAS A GRIEVANCE.

The Champion Quarter-Miler Wants Special Privileges.

Boston, Sept. 29.—Tom Burke has a grievance, and apparently the better of a peculiar question at issue between himself and the Boston Athletic Association, namely, the granting of special club and training table privileges to candidates for the football eleven who are not members of the club.

Tom does not receive these free privileges, and probably does not want them. He contends, however, that a principle is at issue, and will attend the games at Newton on Saturday, and if any man not a member of the club is allowed to play Burke says he will refuse to carry the B. A. A. colors in future.

WHAT WAS YALE'S REPLY?

Murphy and Garrison Say It Must Come from Philadelphia First.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 29.—Both Captain Murphy and Manager Garrison decline to say whether or not the challenge coming from the University of Pennsylvania will be accepted. Captain Murphy stated that [illegible]

RILEY GRANNAN'S AWKWARD DILEMMA.

Fellow-Members of the Metropolitan Turf Association May Help Him.

Will Request a Hearing for Him if the Present to Fred Taral Is His Only Offence.

METEORIC CAREER OF A PLUNGER.

Western Racing Associations Likely Not to Recognize the Jockey Club's Ruling, as No Fraud Has Been Alleged.

Riley Grannan, the ex-bell boy, who, from the proverbial "shoe string," worked himself into the position of the best known plunger on the American turf, awoke yesterday to find himself a ruled-off man, debarred by the Jockey Club from every race course under its jurisdiction. A year or two ago he finding would have excluded him from very reputable course in the West as well, t as the Jockey Club and the Turf Congress have had friction and Grannan was ruled off for fraud, the Western associations will probably not debar him.

d Grannan says that he does not know w it is all about. The stewards give as th official reason that he violated their rul[illegible] jockeys shall not receive presents from outsiders. Grannan pleads guilty.

"I," said he yesterday, "I acknowledge that I did give Fred Taral $500 last Fall. I had a good season and had won a lot of m[illegible] on Taral's mounts. I did not know t I was violating any rule in doing this, a[illegible] at the time I thought it more than probab[illegible] that I would never bet again. It has nev[illegible] my habit to buy information from an owner, trainer or jockey, and, unlike m[illegible] other men who bet heavily, I have aiv[illegible] avoided this."

Grannan is a member of the Metropolitan Turf Association, the organization of layers th[illegible] as formed last Spring. Yesterday th[illegible] embers were debating what action the[illegible] ould take to protect one of their num[illegible] under the circumstances. Grannan w[illegible] disciplined without a hearing, and hi[illegible] ellow-members seem agreed that, unless [illegible] ething more heinous can be alleged agai[illegible] im than making a present to a jockey o[illegible] ch well-known integrity as Taral, he sho[illegible] e given a chance to plead his cause. A[illegible] same time they say that, if there is s[illegible] thing back of the reason officially given, [illegible] y do not want to support any one, [illegible] atter if he be a member of their associa[illegible]

When Grannan [illegible] t for a European trip last Summer it [illegible] generally said that he had been given [illegible] "tip" that his room would be more [illegible] ptable than his company. Yet with [illegible] few weeks the tall young Westerner [illegible] back at his old game and doing up th[illegible] vers in great shape. This seemed rathe[illegible] sterious at the time, but perhaps in this [illegible] e be found the right clew to the Jockey [illegible] s action.

That there is m[illegible] a be read between the lines in the offic[illegible] nnouncement made by the stewards is s[illegible] ally acknowledged, but the reading is h[illegible] Grannan's [illegible] Yesterday he acted a[illegible] he [illegible] by the unexpected. [illegible] he did not know wha[illegible] said that lawyers hav[illegible] trail, in the hope tha[illegible] matter into the law [illegible] least, he is not likely to [illegible] resort.

Riley Grannan has ha[illegible] reer, so full of startling [illegible] verses speedily turned i[illegible] this abrupt check canno[illegible] interest of the entire [illegible] quite a young man, b[illegible] the Blue Grass regio[illegible] the Spring of 1868. B[illegible] come, notoriety has n[illegible] faced, modest youth [illegible] offer to improve his [illegible] his job as elevator [illegible] gramme seller on the [illegible] It is only about th[illegible] racegoers had the c[illegible] how this frail, follow[illegible] could possibly sustain [illegible] tension involved in the [illegible] tle with the hungry [illegible] he appeared here Gran[illegible] partner the well-know[illegible] Colonel W. E. A[illegible] the latter was [illegible] that his part[illegible] without [illegible]

though he had to pay half the face value of every ticket he had issued. That was undoubtedly his biggest single bet. At one time he was reputed to be worth $250,000, but money in his fingers has always been like water—mere material to gamble with. Some little he has saved, and with it provided a home for his mother, in Paris, Ky.; but his is actually a floating capital, at high tide to-day, at lowest ebb to-morrow.

What the ultimate fate of Grannan will be, who can say? The present dilemma may alter the thread of his life. He has said that he would go on betting till he lost his nerve. Maybe the trouble that has now befallen him will shake the indomitable courage which has brought him a notoriety he did not altogether relish.

JUPE MAKES A RECORD.

He Trots a Mile in 2:13 3-4, Making a World's Two-Year-Old Record at Readville.

Readville, Mass., Sept. 29.—The second day of the September meet at the track of the New England Trotting Horse Breeders' Association, presented a strong card and a big list of starters.

The first event this morning was the two-year-old colt race, with only two starters, Mikado and Jupe. The latter won the two heats and race in apparent ease. The last heat was in 2:13¾, the world's record for two-year-olds.

The three-year-old pacing race, with twelve starters was won by Mase, who took the second, fourth and fifth heats.

The 2:25 trot was won with ease by John B. Baldwin, and in the second heat he beat his record by 2¾ seconds.

Fantasy, by Chimes, in an attempt to beat her record of 2:06, could only make 2:10.

In the 2:14 pace, Robinnette beat out Prince Albert, the favorite, in the first heat, and won in a walk.

The second heat Viotta won by a nose, with Robinnette second. The finish of this race was then postponed until to-morrow.

W. S. HIPPLE. B. J. WEFERS. C. KILPATRICK. W. S. LYONS.

Relay Team Which Represented the New York A. C. Last Saturday.

The quartet pictured above ran in Saturday's relay race at Travers Island, the issue was never in doubt, the only matter of conjecture being whether the "Winged Foot's" representatives could beat the record of 3:22 4-5. Though this was not accomplished, they made a very creditable showing for a runaway race, the full mile being completed in 3:25 3-5. The individual times for each quarter, in the order of running, were: Hipple, 50 2-5 sec.; Lyons, 50 3-5 sec.; Kilpatrick, 51 sec, and Wefers, 49 3-5 sec. At Philadelphia on September 19 the same team, with the exception of Kilpatrick, whose place that day was taken by McCrea, went the distance in 2:50 4-5; but it was afterward found that the four relays only measured 1,600 yards. This gave them 32 seconds for the remaining 160 yards, and they were undoubtedly robbed of a record that day, owing to the carelessness of the Quakertown officials.

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On Matters Pugilistic.

Jim Kennedy and Tom O'Rourke have buried the hatchet for the second time, and promise not to come to conflict in the matter of dates when arranging contests for their clubs.

The eyes of the sporting fraternity will be directed toward London next Monday night, where the twenty-round contest between "Pedlar" Palmer and Johnny Murphy, of Boston, will be decided before the National Sporting Club. The question at issue is the bantam championship of the world and a purse of $2,500. There are those who feel that Murphy will prove more than an easy mark for Palmer, and, although Murphy's toughness may carry him to the finish, the Briton should win the decision.

F. J. K. Rochester.—Yes; she is the wife of Jack Burke, the pugilist.

The Union Park Athletic Club will open on October 5. The amphitheatre is located at Brommer's Union Park, just across Harlem Bridge, in the annexed district, and accommodations for 5,000 spectators have been provided. The bouts arranged for the opening are as follows: Danny McMahon, of Detroit, and Charles Leopold, the ex-amateur bantam weight champion of America; Sammy Kelly and Joe Bernstein, and Kid McPartland and Jimmy Handler, all ten-round bouts.

A seven-round prize fight took place near Greensburg, Pa., on Monday night, between Pat Reardon, of that place and L. Campbell, of Pittsburg. After the first round Campbell had things his own way and punished Reardon severely, knocking him out in the seventh round. Two hundred people witnessed the battle, which took place in a grain barn. Considerable money changed hands.

Al Herford has matched Joe Gans, the Baltimore colored pugilist, against Dal Hawkins for a fifteen-round fight at the Bohemian Club, on Oct. 6. Frank Erne was to have met Gans at that time and place, but he has declined the engagement.

Jack Ward, of Newark, and Jack Madden, of Brooklyn, will fight twenty rounds for the 105-pound championship before the Eureka Athletic Club, Baltimore, Oct. 12.

Dal Hawkins, of California; Martin Flaherty, Johnny Griffin, Frank Erne and Joe Gans have all challenged Tommy White. "They can all be accommodated," said White at the Illustrated News yesterday. "I'm in the game to fight, and will deny no one an opportunity to defeat me. Let any of the feather-weights post a deposit and I'll do business with them without delay."

The next sparring contest to be given by the Empire Athletic Club of Maspeth, L. I., will be held on Monday night, Oct. 12. The complete programme, as arranged, is as follows: Joe Walcott, of Boston, vs. "Scaldy" Bill, of Ashland, Pa., twenty rounds at 148 pounds, and "Dick" O'Brien, of Boston, vs. "Dick" Moore, of St. Paul, ten rounds at catch weights. The patrons of the Empire Athletic Club have witnessed some rattling good contests. This card, however, gives every indication of eclipsing all previous affairs. Manager Kennedy has agreed on Oct. 23 as the date for the Creedon-Baker contest, which will be of twenty rounds at catch weights. The following changes in prices have been made: Admission, $2; reserved seats, $3.

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Delaney Given the Decision Over [illegible] After Six Rounds.

A large crowd of spectators [illegible] at the Bohemian S[illegible]

Thirteenth [illegible]
Weather damp. T[illegible]

1054.— FIRST R[illegible] 1:15.

Index	Horses.	W.
1046	Scarf Pin.....	109
(1011)	Set Fast.....	111
1011	Swamp Angel....	107
1037	Free Lance.....	109
1044	Passover.....	103
1035	Templestowe	93
992	Tempestuous	97

* Coupled in the betting.
Start poor. Won cleverl[illegible] Cambridge Stable. Trai[illegible]

1055.— SE[illegible]

Index	H[illegible]
1023	Sir[illegible]
1029	[illegible]
1032	[illegible]
1032	[illegible]
1052	[illegible]
990	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] 93	7
1008	Emotional, 3..... 98	6
1045	Declare, 5..... 84	9
1026	Halifling, 4..... 102	3

Start fair. Won easily. Winn[illegible] Eagle Stable. Trainer, F. Reagan.

1056.— THIRD RACE—[illegible] allowances. Six[illegible]

Index	Horses.	Wt.	St.
1050	Cleophus	107	4
970	Divide	102	2
1041	Tragedian	100	5
1046	Break o' Day....	97	1
1030	Flying Squadron..	97	3

Start good. Won driving. Winner. Trainer, Hardy Campbell.

1057.— FOURTH RACE—[illegible] Time—1:56¼.

Index	Horses.	Wt.	St.
(1038)	Belmar, 4.....	116	
(1040)	Lake Shore, 5...	112	
1049	Brandywine, 4...	106	
1049	Tinge, 4.....	95	
1042	Doggett, 4.....	99	

Start poor. Won clever[illegible] green Stable. Trainer, W. St[illegible]

1058.— FIFTH RAC[illegible] Time—1:15.

Index	Horses.	Wt.	St.	M.
(1041)	Agitator, 4.....	122	1	3[illegible]
1052	Tremargo, 3.....	112	6	5
1026	Rubicon, 5.....	121	2	1[illegible]
1043	Arapahoe, 5.....	109	3	2
1038	Hanwell, 4.....	119	5	4
1039	Tom Cromwell, 3	122	4	6

Start good. Won driving. Winner ch[illegible]

1059.— SIXTH RACE—Purse $500, [illegible] furlongs. Time—1:16¼.

Index	Horses.	Wt.	St.	¼	M.
1004	Bellport, 3.....	110	1	5	[illegible]
991	Dr. Grimes, 3...	112	7	2[illegible]	[illegible]
991	Scoggan, 3.....	109½	3	1[illegible]	[illegible]
940	Olinde, 4.....	107	10	11	9	[illegible]
1033	Bonhomme, 3....	107	5	4	6	4[illegible]
973	Tania, 3.....	105	8	3[illegible]	4	5
991	Nick Johnson, 3.	107	2	7	7	7
991	Fernseed, 5.....	107	4	6	5	6
991	Beaumont, 3.....	107	6	9	10	1[illegible] 9
878	Capt. Russell, 3.	107	11	10	11	11 10
——	Beelzebub, 4....	111	9	8	8	8 11
——	Tarle, 5.....	110	12	12	12	12 12

Start fair. Won all out. Winner bay colt by Belvidere [illegible] Jefferson Stable. Trainer, C. Littlefield.

Among the Racing Cyclists.

Arthur Gardiner's win of the mile open at Trenton on Monday was not entirely unexpected, as the flaxen-haired youth was about due to give his fellow cracks a walloping in order to show them that he was still in the game. Gardiner has any amount of speed, but his heart is rather inclined to go back on him now and then. With "Billy" Young as his trainer the Chicagoan will be heard from on more than one occasion before the season closes. It is a question if he has fully recovered from the effects of the typhoid fever which he had last Fall.

A race that should prove excitedly interesting is included in the programme for the meet of the Westchester County Wheelmen, to be held at White Plains on Saturday. The event will be a multicycle handicap at two miles, and in the race will be a sextuplet, a triplet, a tandem and a single wheel. The task of handicapping an event is no easy matter, and the official to whom this duty devolves expects to spend several sleepless nights figuring out the allotments. The prize in this race is given by the Yellow Fellow Club.

Over two hundred riders are scheduled to start this morning in the annual ten-mile handicap road race of the Brooklyn Citizen, held, as usual, on the Ocean Boulevard. All the road cracks of the district are in it. In the list, and the scratch contingent contains a very speedy assortment. Embraced in the back mark party are R. M. Alexander, of Stamford, who won the Irvington-Milburn title by the disqualification of Hadfield; H. K. Rose, champion of Long Island; C. T. Earl, the champion of the Kings County Wheelmen; F. D. Wilson, a good road plugger; Franklin Fisher, Oscar Hedstrom, B. T. Allen, F. A. Munn, W. J. Ladue, C. S. Henshaw and W. H. Ross. M. D. Paige was also entered, but, as he made a professional of himself by riding on a quad manned by professionals in the hour race at the Quill Club meet, he will not be allowed to ride again as an amateur. The list of officials for the race is noteworthy, and Mayor Wurster, Park Commissioner Woodruff, Chief Consul Porter, George O. Stebbins, vice-president of the Good Roads Association, and W. J. McKelvey, superintendent of the Police Department, will be the referees.

There will be plenty of racing next Saturday, and it will practically conclude the outdoor season in th[illegible] events at the [illegible] Bicycle Club [illegible] circuit mee[illegible] cracks in [illegible] Titus will com[illegible] track, Harlem, [illegible] hibition by F. [illegible] his fill of cych[illegible]

COURS[illegible]

Mr. Foxhall [illegible] Tod Sloane, wh[illegible] fined $50 by t[illegible] engaged to ride [illegible] tune Stakes, but [illegible] work [illegible] noted a[illegible]

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Boats leave foot of WHITEHALL ST., N. Y. (Culver Route), 11:10, 11:40 A. M., 12:10, 12:40, 1:10, 1:40, 2:10 P. M.

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