as detailed elsewhere by the secretary, our correspondent, Mr. Power, was a surprise to New Brunswick horsemen who cannot understand why it is so. Were the dates early? New Glasgow's but partially successful meeting would appear to indicate that something is wrong. The purses are good and all the tracks are in the National association. What more is wanted?

In another column on the first page will be found an expose of Stanley, the ringer who raced at Moosepath carnival week, winning the 2.40 and tree for all. Horsemen should watch entries from this quarter in the future. Progress' correspondents talk horse and base ball treely in the following columns.

The Races at New Glasgow and How They

New Glasgow, and was not a success as regards the number of entries from outside of Nova Scotia. George Cawell's Specuwith Nova Scotia horsemen, coming over here alone, and they all wish him success. The 2.45 class, in which his horse trotted, was a bruising race, Speculation winning the first and fourth heats in 2.41, 2.43½, C. R. Bill, jr. (Northville, Kings Co.), b. s. Gladstone, by Hartford, winning the fifth and sixth heats in 2.43, 2.42½, and P. Carroll's (Pictou) Wild Flower, by Uncle Sim, the second and third heats in 2.42½, The 2.20 class, purse \$1,500, was won by Minnie. Sim, the second and third heats in 2.4212, 2.43; Mr. Dickie's (Truro) chestnut mare Mistake, by Fearnaught, jr., was fourth; Kittie C., a black mare entered by J. Churchill, Lowell, Mass., was fifth, finishing fourth in two heats and at times showed considerable speed. Jas. Gannon's Pictou black mare Sall, and J. A. Leaman's Dumont, also started. After six heats had been mont, also started. After six heats had been trotted Friday, the race was postponed until Saturday morning, but the owners of the horses winning two heats each decided to divide the money. The 2.28 class had but three starters, Peabody, Sir Garnet and Bronze Chief—all Nova Scotia horses—and the first named won in the slow time of 2.40. The three minute class did not fill largely, and, contrary to the rules, two horses were allowed to start which belong-Nellie, a grey mare by All Right, entered by N. Lee, turned over the other three heats in 2.45½, 2.46¼, 2.47. D. Cumming's (New Glasgow) Hunter was the only POWER. other starter.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACES.

How the Flyers and Their Owners are Getting On.

The Grand Circuit races at Rochester were notable for the defeat of the favorites, and the time was rather slow as the weather was raw, cloudy, and chilly, and the wind blew fiercely almost every day, and the track was damp. The meeting opened Aug. 18th with the 2.27 class pacers, purse \$2000, and Halpointer a big favorite, but he was off and only got fifth place, the race was won by Chapman by St. Omar. Best time, 2.1814. The Flower City Guaranteed Stake of \$10,000 for the 2.30 was won by Star Lilly, by Gen. Garfield. Best time, 2.20. In the 2.22 class, purse \$2000, Lady Bullion was a big favorite but only got fourth place, the race being won by C. J. Hamlin's Globe, by Almont jr. Best time 2.1914. The 2.27 class, purse \$2000, was won by Hamlin's Prince Regent, by Mambrino King. Gossip jr. won the free for all pacing race, purse \$1000. Jack, by Pilot Medium won the 2.20 class, purse \$2000. The 2.24 class, purse \$2000, was won by Amy Lee by Bay Star. The four-year-old colt stake purse, \$1,300, was won by Gillig, by Aristos. The 2.18 class purse, \$2,000, was won by the four-year-old mare Susie S., in short order. Doble hung off with Johnson, the pacer, until after six, waiting for the wind to abate, but without success. When he started the horse the wind blew very stiff and cold down the stretch, and going to the quarter in 31¼ and to the half in 1.03½, he finished the mile in 2.07½, which is the grandest performance ever made by this wonderful horse, in view of the very strong wind he had in his face, the air so cold and the track damp and heavy, and fully two seconds slow. The 2.17 pace, purse \$1,000, was won by Ed. Annan, by Dauntless, who won the same class last week, at Buffalo. The 2.33 class, purse \$2,000, was just a good, nice race for Ketch, by Keystone. The free-for-all, purse \$2,000, dwindled down to Gene Smith and Harry Wilkes, and although Gene was a big favorite, Harry Wilkes won easily, and Belle Hamlin closed the meeting by trotting the fastest heat

at Mystic Park of 2.2614 four years ago.
Wanda, by Eros, by Electioneer, got a record of 2.26 at Bay District track, Cal., on bases, and he hit to the pitcher.

Sire Bros are not satisfied with their last race where Belle Hamlin beat Harry Wilkes, and want another match, best

While driving Veritas in the third heat of the guaranteed stake at Poughkeepsie, Budd Doble had a very narrow escape. The horse caught his foot in a boot and turned a complete summersault, and Budd went flying over the horse's head, but got off with a few scratches on the side of his head, while the horse was not injured.

At Hartford, Conn., this week, the most interesting contests will be the \$10,000

Latest and most accurate foreign and local base ball news at the "National," the ball M. Pender umpired both games very fairly. Plumber and Gasfitter, No. 0 KING together stresses

SPORTS OF THE SEASON. stake for the 2.20 class, the \$3,000 for 4-year olds, and the \$4,000 for 20 pacers

Panes bound out of

colt Prince Regent, who won the 4-year old race at Rochester last week. This should be another hot race.

Bow Bell's two year old by Electioneer, dam Beautiful Bells, a full brother to Bell Boy and Chimes, was driven a mile in 2.32

several days since, and I hear that Mr. Todd's Agusta Schuyler, by Arberdeen, dam Emeline, has thrown a fine filly by Chimes. What is the matter with that little Miss' pedigree with the blood of the famous old brood mares Green Mountain Maid, Beautiful Bells, Minnehaha, Widow Machin, and Emeline sourcing through her

Calais Park, drove School Marm a mile in 2:32½, the first quarter in 40 and the last

The 2.20 class, purse \$1,500, was won by Minnie. by Mocking Bird, by Mambrino King. The Rupert stakes, \$5,000, for 2.24 class, was won by the blind stallion Alcryon, by Alcyone, Aubine second. In the first heat Aubine was sent away very badly in the rear, and is claimed to have trotted her mile in 2.151/2.

horses were allowed to start which belong- with his 2.1314, but he being dead, Phaled to the same stable-Clayola and Allie las, 2.1334 in the fourth heat of a race, is Clay. Clayola, who is a daughter of Allie king, and is a very much better exhibition Clay, and who is but tour years old, won than Maxey's, as he was specially prepared, the first two heats in 2.48, 2.4814, when and went against the watch. Then comes Axtell, but there are two more months yet, and the stallion record is in danger of being kurched down a notch.

If Maud S. and Guy were trotting a race, and Maud should trot in 2.0834 and Guy in 2.1034, she would beat Guy just 82 feet, while Johnson pacing in 2.0614 would beat Maud S. over 110 feet.

POWER ON BASE BALL.

A Personal Matter-The Shamrocks and Their Games.

HALIFAX Aug. 28.—Judging from the tone of your remarks in your last issue, one would infer that I am not friendly towards the St. John A. A. club. I am not anxious to have such an impression prevail, as I have only the best of feeling towards that club. The members with whom I am acquainted have always treated me in the kindest and most courteous manner, while Capt. Bell and vice-Captain White, with whom I have a most intimate acquaintance, I have always found to be perfect gentlemen, who have also made a great number of friends in Halitax. If you will read my last letter closely, you will observe that I did not refer to the players, for the reason that I knew that some members of the team are quite willing to play the Socials. Your statement that your team are not trying to make money out of ball may be correct, but if the club want a nine merely for pleasure, why have they so many paid men? And as I have stated in a previous letter, it would be better for all concerned, and make a real rivalry if the teams in both cities were composed of local players. What credit is it to a city to win a game played solely for amusement, with players imported from the United States? If the teams were playing every day, and on strictly business principles as in the leagues, there would be some reason for ing for pleasure, the sense of it can hardly be understood. President Skinner's remarks are interesting, and while I cannot speak for the Socials, I know they will

never pay that \$100. The Shamrocks played two games, Monday, and easily won the first in which Flynn pitched. Notwithstanding that he has held the Gardiners down to three hirs, the Jno. P. Lovells to four, and other strong teams to less than a half-dozen hits, the Shamrocks batted him harder than any team this season -13 hits for a total of 16 bases. The only trotted during the meeting, 2.1634.

I see C. L. Rand, of Truro, N. S. has been protested against with Little Era.

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-15 litts for a total of 10 bases.

brilliant feature of his work was a great one-hand catch of a hot-liner from MacNamara's bat. Neither he nor the team seemed to She won the 3 minute race in Fairfield, play with the same vim as in previous Me., in three heats, better than 2.36. It games. Twice he had a great chance to at Mystic Park at 2 2614 four years are Aug. 3, and is the first grandchild of On both occasions there were two Electioneer to enter the 2.30 list. The owner of Axtell is afraid he could not beat Nelson at Buffalo, so say the drivers in the circuit who know the ins and outs of the business.

Out. Sullivan pitched a magnificent game up to the eighth innings, when he gave three bases on balls, one with a pitched ball, and three hits gave the home team four runs. Davison pitched a much stronger game than Flynn, and held the visitors down to seven hits, and seldom were they bunched. He struck out 11 men, and the three St. John players in the team made three hits off Flynn, while they did not get any off Davison, and Flynn struck

out two of them, while seven of them were

retired by Davison on strikes. McGlinchy,

who was hit by a pitched ball, being the only one of them to reach first. McNamara's

first base work was the feature of both

Power.

THE RACES DID NOT FILL.

THE BASE BALL AND TURF GOSSIP
OF THE PROVINCES.

Notes and Comments on Local Clubs and
Players, and Pointers Not Found on
the Reports of the Games—Horse News
From Everywhere.

The failure of the Halifax races filling, as detailed elsewhere by the secretary, our correspondent, Mr. Power, was a surprise to New Brunswick horsemen who cannot understand why it is so. Were the dates early? New Glasgow's but partially sucvinces might be associated with them, it was with the purpose of benefiting the tracks of both provinces, and to prevent any clashing of dates, thus giving the horsemen a series of races, following one after the other, which would decrease their expenses and give them more money to contend for. It will be remembered that when the circuit was formed last year it was said that New Brunswick horses might visit Nova Scotia at a time when there were no races at their meetings, and vice versa, but the New Brunswick horsemen have not taken advantage of this opportunity. With such arrangements and such plentiful pur-ses a grand list of entries was expected, The Races at New Glasgow and How They

Halifax, Aug. 28.—The first meeting of the maritime trotting circuit was held at lew Glasgow, and was not a success as gard list of entries was expected, but judge the surprise of the management of the Halifax track, when they waited for two days after the entries closed, with the race and no horse distanced. Edith was beaten but only about three lengths so she must be able to beat 2.20.

I am informed by a reliable party that the races had not filled. It is a grand list of entries was expected, but judge the surprise of the management of the Halifax track, when they waited for two days after the entries closed, with the idea that there might be some entries posted which had not previously arrived, to find that the races had not filled. the people, as two years ago the manage-ment had held a most successful meeting, lation was the only New Brunswick representative, and lowered his record to 2.41. George has made himself a great favorite with Nova Scotia horsemen, coming over there alone, and they all wish him success. The 2.45 class, in which his horse trotted, The 2.45 class, in which his horse trotted, Poughkeepsin stake of \$5,000 was won by take Poughkeepsin stake of \$5,000 was won by ta green race were concerned, such horses as Sir Garnet, Rampart, Allie Clay, Mistake, Peabody, Lord Dufferin, Gladstone, Wildflower and Nellie being among the number, but the green horses were scarce from these parts; while New Brunswick sent but four entrees, J. D. Bonness' (St. Stephen) Joe Hooker, George Carvill's (St. John) Speculation, Thos. Clarke's (St. John) Maud C., and Wm. McLeod's (Sussex) Jackson. Many other horsemen in your province were confidently expected to visit us, but did not do so. To the New Brunswick gentlemen who made the entries the directors of the Halifax track will alsent but four entrees, J. D. Bonness' (St. Stephen) Joe Hooker, George Carvill's Brunswick gentlemen who made the entries the directors of the Halifax track will always feel indebted, and they trust that on some future occasion they

> there were only two for the fast class and that prevented any possibilities of holding One horseman informed me if the track was not a member of the National Trotting association the races would have filled, and I assured him if that was the reason races here would never fill, as the track will always belong to the association, as while judges may make mistakes at times, the track will at least give them the power to

> the 2.28 class any kind of an entry list, the

management would have held the races

with the entries they had, although they

persist if the necessity occurs.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the St. Stephen Driving Park association held Monday, it was decided to offer in addition to the four circuit races, a purse of \$200 for all trotters and pacers. And yet | MATRICULATION EXAMINATIONS COMMENCE Oct. 7. the owners of some four year olds are not satisfied. Take for instance the owner of School Marm, who is crazy to have a four year old race made so he can get a welt at Speculation. But I think he can have all the chance at Speculation he wants in the 2.45 class, as in all probability both of the colts meet in this class, and if this does not satisfy School-Marm's owner, why does he not accept Geo. W. McLain's proposition, made some weeks ago, which is still open.

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