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COL. BIDWELL
WAS SECOND TO
SILVER WEATHER

Lowered Windsor, Conn. Track Mark — Jean Grattan, Canadian Mare, Won the Feature Event.

Windsor, Conn., July 8—Silver Weather, the sterling racing tool which Allie Cornwell trains and drives for William H. Quis of Winfield, Long Island, lowered the record for Sage Park course today in the second heat of the 2.09 pace, having to turn in a mile in 2.06½ to defeat the Boston entry Colonel Bidwell.

Silver Weather on his victory in the \$10,000 purse at Cherry Park was held to be quite the best of his field, but that he was up to such a fast mile or that he would have to be to win were surprising.

The popular little stallion took the first heat by coming from behind with a spectacular rush through the stretch on the outside of three opponents. He was in front all the way the second mile, Leese tucking Bidwell in behind him. He was at the half in 1.04¼ and the six furlong mark in 1.35¾ to keep ahead of the Colonel.

Jean Grattan All the Way.

Jean Grattan was much the best of the field of 14 which declared to start in the Sage Park \$10,000 purse for 2.12 pacers. The Canadian-bred daughter of Grattan Royal, 2.06¼, and Darksey Hal, 2.02¼, looked the part of a real stake pacer, as she was comfortable in 2.09¾, 2.08¾, 2.09¼, after a qualifying heat in 2.07¾. She raced equally well in front or behind and never was under a drive.

As far as the winning of her \$5,500 there was no contest, but behind her there were three hard battles for the \$1,500 split between the next three horses, each heat with a qualifying heat that was a hummer.

Quinla and Major Frisco figured upon as having an even chance for the rich purse provided the Grattan mare did not show considerable improvement over last week, both failed to qualify. Quinla losing fourth place by inches and Frisco because of an unavoidable break.

Jean Grattan who is owned by Robert Trench of Teeswater, Ont., and driven by Ben Sturgeon is one of the fancied eligibles for the \$25,000 pacing derby and will be sent to Kalamazoo in time for a bit of work over the Michigan mile track.

The summary:
2.09 Class, Pacing 2 in 3.
Purse \$10,000.
Silver Weather, chh, by Silver Axworthy-Miss Weathers, by E. P. W. (Cornwell) 1 1
Colonel Bidwell, bg, (Leese) 2 2
Callie Direct, blg, (Myers) 3 4
Flo Patch, bm, (Crum) 6 3
Rifle Grenade, Jackson Grattan, Phil O'Neil, Charles Direct, also started.
Time, 2.08¾, 2.06¼.
The Sage Park 2.12 Class, Pacing.
(Three Heats).
Purse \$10,000.
Jean Grattan, blm, by Grattan Royal-Darkey Hal by Star Hal (Sturgeon) 1 1 1
Hilda Hal, bm, (Hudson) 2 3 2
Fanny Direct, blm, (Morrison) . . . 3 2 4
The Dence, rog, (Johnson) . . . 5 4 3
Hazel McKlyo, Harry Putman, Mlanie Edgewood, Red March, also started.
Time, 2.09¼, 2.08¾, 2.09¾.

BEN TURPIN
MARRIED AGAIN

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Los Angeles, July 11—Ben Turpin, cross-eyed screen burlesquer of married life, himself has entered the conjugal fold for the second time.
He was married here to Miss Babette Elizabeth Dietz, formerly of Bismarck, N. D., and whom he met a year ago while a patient at Santa Barbara Hospital. The ceremony was performed at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Beverly Hills.
Turpin's first wife died several months ago.

BOBBY JONES
IS NOW LEADING
GOLFER OF WORLD

Won the National Open Championship of the United States Saturday — Joe Turnesa Pressed Him Hard.

Columbus, O., July 11—Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, tonight is possessor of every supreme golf title on the world, an honor never before mantled on any golfer, by winning the National Open Championship. At Scioto Club with a score of 293 he annexed his latest title before a record crowd of 6,500 most of whom followed the sturdy southerner through his final 36 holes yesterday.

Good as Jones score was for the gruelling Scioto hills he was only one stroke ahead of Joe Turnesa, of New York, who had finished ahead of Jones with 294. To overcome this score, Jones shot one under par on the last nine and finished amidst a din of applause with a birdie four on the 480 yard home hole.

Thrilling Contest.

After Jones had topped Turnesa all other likely contenders were still afield the final stage of the tourney resolved itself into a thrilling contest to determine whether any one of these stars could overhaul the man, who, as it proved had the title already tucked away with the other trophies he has garnered since he first sprang into the limelight of golfdom by qualifying in the National Amateur at Philadelphia in 1916 when only 14 years old.

Among those who tried to beat Bobby on the last round was an amateur, Chick Evans, who in that year, 1916 won the unique distinction of capturing the National Open and Amateur titles in the same year and set a record score of 296 for the open. But Chick filed by several strokes for he took a 79 for the last round and totalled 302.

Led On Friday.

Another who was a possible winner during this race was Bill Melhorn of Chicago who led the field the first day with a record of 68 to Jones 70 and again led the second day with 143, while Bobby had 150 by virtue of a 79 on the second round. But Melhorn fell off Saturday taking 76 in the morning and 79 in the afternoon for a total of 297 which tied him for third place. Melhorn lost on the last nine as he was even with Jones up to the home stretch.

BESSIE MCKLYO
SUCCEEDS BRADEN

Presque Isle, Me., July 10—The Mooselunk Club has closed a deal for the purchase of the pacing mare Bessie McKlyo from Dwight Edwards of Auburn for \$8,000 as a club free-for-all to succeed the famous John R. Braden, 2.02¾, which will be retired from racing and spend the remainder of his days here. Bessie McKlyo is seven years old, bred in California and is by Peter McKlyo, he by Peter the Great, dam Leavenette by Zombo. She took a four-year-old record of 2.05 and has been campaigned ever since, often starting on the Grand Circuit, and for two seasons a big winner on the Bay State Circuit.

Golf Match Postponed.

The Fredericton Golf Club which intended to go to Saint John today to play the Riverside golfers has postponed its trip owing to the death of Albert J. Gregory, K. C., who was one of the charter members of the club.

WOODSTOCK
HAS CIRCUIT
THIS WEEK

Racing There Today and Tomorrow—New Stables Winning—July 23 and 24 Local Dates.

Woodstock, July 12—The Maine and New Brunswick circuit campaigners are at Woodstock this week.

For the next four weeks the horses will be on New Brunswick soil and the word is that all the big stables will follow the entire midsummer schedule which takes them to St. Stephen next week and thence on to Fredericton, Moncton, Presque Isle and Edmundston.

Aroostook Stables.

Several of Aroostook's leading stables swing into action at Woodstock this week. John Willard and Ralph Burrill, the Presque Isle drivers who started only one horse apiece at Caribou have their full strings at Woodstock for the racing today and tomorrow and among the newcomers is Frank Adams, of Halifax whose Merrytime Stables include Vera Grattan 2.09¼, an importation from Ontario where the Grattan family come from, which is going to take a whirl at the free for allers.

Changed Program Here.

Fredericton's program for the week following St. Stephen—July 23 and 24 being the racing dates—will not be completed until immediately after the Woodstock meeting and it is likely that it will show a new lineup of events as D. W. Griffiths secretary of the Fredericton Driving and Sporting Club will make his program to suit the stables as they stand at the conclusion of the Woodstock racing.

Free-for-Allers.

Five free for allers are expected to start at Woodstock tomorrow. It has been suggested there may be another addition or two also from the Bay State circuit, where trying to beat the Canadian bred mare, Kate Hal, 2.01¼ has been a tough job for the rest of the fast record side-wheelers.

GUY M'KINNEY
WON ON GRAND

Cleveland, July 11—Rain yesterday ended the Grand Circuit meeting at North Randall after the first heat of the 3-year-old trot. The clouds opened as the horses were scoring for the classified pace, the second on the card.
Under the rules, Guy McKinney was declared the winner of the trot. He led his field from start to finish in the first heat. Miss Orvetta Azoff was second and Wire Worthy third. The time, 2.11 2-5. Other starters were Billie Binville, Red Etatawah, Dean Harvester and Royal Guide.

BOSTON BRAVES
SCANDAL STILL
MYSTERIOUS

Boston, July 9—Secrecy still surrounds the investigation of the Boston Braves' finances revealed recently the only concrete fact was Manager Dave Bancroft's announced suspicion that he turnstile count at Braves Field had been manipulated for some one's financial benefit.

Judge Emil Fuchs, President of the Boston National League Baseball Club is due to return from New York and no announcements previous to his arrival were expected.

CUNNINGHAM
NEW SECRETARY OF
BOSTON BRAVES

President Frechs Gives No Definite Explanation of Recent Financial Scandal in His Club.

Boston, July 11—In a statement issued, Pres. Emil E. Fuchs of the Boston National League baseball club announced that the tangle which resulted from the discovery of irregularities in the club's finances has been straightened without an arrest being made. The incident, according to Mr. Fuchs, is a "closed book." The Braves' president refused to make any comment or explanation of the affair beyond his printed statement, which follows:

"The Boston National League club, as a result of a complete investigation, discovered irregularities with the turnstiles at Braves Field.

"The employee involved admitted being entirely responsible for such irregularities and improper conditions.

"The investigation further disclosed affirmatively that everyone connected with the game of baseball was giving his best, conscientious, honest efforts in the playing of the game itself and in all other respects to the Braves.

"We are pleased to announce that we have been fortunate in securing the services of Edmund P. Cunningham, sporting editor of the Boston Traveler, as secretary of the club, to succeed Edwin L. Riley.

"The unfortunate situation has now been solved and we believe that it would serve no good purpose to further comment on same or to make any further statement.

"Emil E. Fuchs, President."

MATHEWSON
MEMORIAL AT
BUCKNELL UNIV.

Eight thousand baseball fans paid \$3 each to see two teams of old-timers, some of whom have not been in the game for thirty years, play in aid of the Christy Mathewson Memorial Fund at New York last Wednesday. Ninety per cent. of that sum will be added to the fund for the erection of a memorial chapel on the campus at Bucknell University, Mathewson's alma mater. The remainder will be directed to the fund for the erection of a clubhouse at Saranac Lake for disabled soldiers of the Great War, a project launched by "Bix Six" when he was a patient at that resort.

ENGLISH TEAM
HAS A CHANCE

London, July 10—D. E. Porritt, the sprinter and captain of the combined Oxford-Cambridge track team which will meet the Princeton Cornell team, Saturday, thinks the British have a chance to get there.

"The outcome of the meet" seems very doubtful" he said today, "but I think we should just get there."

The Cornell-Princeton athletes arrived in London en route from Oxford. Captain Porritt expressed to newspapermen the pleasure his team felt "in making friends with representatives of our great sister nation. Enjoyable as in the athletic contest," he said, "it is a secondary consideration."

Professor—Give me a concrete example of swindle.

Student—If you should flunk me in the examinations that would be swindle.

Professor—How so?

Student—Swindle is taking advantage of another man's ignorance.

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